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Hong Kong, 22nd June, 1931.

WATER RETURN.

All Reservoirs Below Overflow.

The level and storage of water in the reservoirs on June 1, 1931, were as under:—

City and Hill District.	1930	1931
Tyiam 23' 2" B 25' 8" B		
Tyiam Byewash 21' 9" B 24' 4" B		
Tyiam Intermediate 43' 9" B 8' 8" B		
Tyiam Tuk 63' 2" B 33' 8" B		
Wong Nei Chung 27' 5" B 17' 5" B		
Pokfulum 21' 11" B 8' 11" B		
[Note: B. denotes "Below Overflow"; A. denotes "Above Overflow"; L. denotes "Level with Overflow."]		
Storage in millions and decimals of gallons.	1930	1931
Tyiam 214.50	200.74	
Tyiam Byewash 1.90	.98	
Tyiam Intermediate 32.58	150.34	
Tyiam Tuk 320.16	727.08	
Wong Nei Chung 5.38	11.84	
Pokfulum 20.85	46.58	
Total 695.84	1,138.16	

Consumption of water in the City and Hill District in millions and decimals of gallons during the month of May.

1930	1931
Consumption 288.168	341.62
Estimated population 442,880	410,650
Consumption per head per day 20.4	26.8

* Includes 95.07 million gallons from Mainland.

* Includes 95.03 million gallons from Mainland.

May, 1930.—From May 1 to 31, a 12 hours supply (5 a.m.—6 p.m.) was given to all Kowloon Districts (Principal Mains closed 6 p.m.—3 a.m.) with the exception of the area North of Queen's Road between Murray Road and Eastern Street where a constant supply was maintained during the whole month.

May, 1931.—Constant supply throughout the City, Hill and High Level Districts during the whole month.

Kowloon.	1930	1931
Kowloon Reservoir and Byewash 10' 6" B 11' 0" B		
Shek Lai Pui Reservoir 8' 11" B L		
Reception Reservoir 10' 1" B 1' 7" B		
Storage in millions and decimals of gallons.		
Kowloon Reservoir and Byewash 202.96	241.10	
Shek Lai Pui Reservoir 82.69	116.10	
Reception Reservoir 9.45	28.97	
Total 295.10	386.17	

Consumption of water in Kowloon in millions and decimals of gallons during the month of May.

1930	1931
Consumption 184.63	159.49
Estimated population 175,390	285,150
Consumption per head per day 24.7	18.0

Constant supply in all districts during May, 1930 and 1931.

The Government Analyst's reports show that the quality of the water is satisfactory.

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Roland Maurice Pearce, from Singapore.

S. LACK,

Manager.
Hong Kong, June 25, 1931.

The following unclaimed telegrams are lying at the office of the Great Northern Telegraph Company (Limited) of Denmark:—

Honaboteco, from Shanghai.

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Sik Lam, from Shanghai.

H. EFFERSON,

Actg. Superintendent.
Hong Kong, June 24, 1931.

AMBULANCE CORPS.

Successful Fete in Lee Garden.

GOOD PATRONAGE.

The clerk of the weather was kind to St. John Ambulance people on Saturday afternoon when he turned off the rain and thus made it possible for them to hold their Garden Fete arranged in connection with the Centenary Celebrations of the Order, which are taking place throughout the Empire.

By kind permission of Messrs. R. C. and M. H. Lee, the Fete was held in the Lee Garden, East Point, and proved a great success, the Fun of the Fair being much enjoyed by large numbers of the public which thronged the garden from opening time at 2 p.m. until 7 o'clock when the Fete was closed down, all classes of the community being thoughtfully catered for.

Willing Helpers.

There was no shortage of willing helpers in the various side shows. Men of the Royal Navy (by permission of Comdr. E. G. Morris) had charge of the ever popular Aunt Sallies which did not lack patrons throughout the afternoon. The same may be said of all the other attractions usually found at such Fetes—chutes, serial railway fishing pond, see-saw and swings—also manned by the blue-jackets. In addition, followers of the new fad, miniature golf, were able to indulge in a game on a well laid out course which included some novel hazards. The brass band of the Confucian Society under Bandmaster Li Kwok-yun, contributed to the enjoyment of the Fair with selections.

The Theatre in the Garden also had much to offer in the form of concert entertainment which included European and Chinese plays, pantomimes, and music, Hawaiian airs, dancing exhibitions, Chinese boxing, conjuring, lion playing, by members of various Chinese Associations and European and Chinese amateur artists, and First Aid demonstrations by members of the Brigade.

An Appreciation.

The thanks of the Brigade are due to the following for assistance rendered to make the Fete the success it was:—

Messrs. R. C. Lee and M. H. Lee for the loan of the Garden.

The Commodore for loan of flags and bunting.

Commander E. G. Morris and Petty Officers for side shows.

Miss O'Keefe and pupils for dancing exhibition.

Miss S. H. Cheung for musical items.

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Mr. Wu Hai-tong for donation of \$25.

Mr. Mok Kon-sang for donation of \$25.

Mr. Wong Kwong-tin for donation of \$50.

The Confucian Society for Brass Band.

Ching Wu Association for Boxing Exhibition.

South China Athletic Association for Boxing Exhibition.

Nam Mo Athletic Association for Boxing Exhibition.

All friends (too numerous to mention individually) for Vocal and musical items.

Mr. Wai Pak-keung for conjuring.

Students of King's College for The Trial Scene from The Merchant of Venice.

Bank of Canton for donation of \$25.

Sam Cheung for matches.

New Hong Kong Bakery for cakes.

The Workers.

The following are the members of the hard working Centenary Celebrations Committee:—

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Sub-Committee, Conjuring.—Mr. Wong Shu-wah.

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LIFE SAVING.

Local Society's 1931 Activities.

MR. HUNT'S REPORT.

The following report on the 1931 activities of the local branch of the Life Saving Society is submitted for publication by Mr. R. J. Hunt, Hong Kong Representative:—

I have much pleasure to report that the Life Saving Classes are continuing. The Hong Kong Police have two classes, one for Europeans and the other for Indians. Both classes are well advanced and have passed all the Land Tests. They are now commencing the Water Drills.

A letter has been received from the Sports Master, St. Stephen's College, Stanley, asking for advice in Life Saving. This has been attended to and Handbooks of Instruction have been forwarded and I understand that classes have already been started. Handbooks of Instruction have also been forwarded to the 20th Heavy Battery, R.A., stationed at Stonecutters, and report comes through that classes are about to commence there.

C. S. M. Creek, Headquarters Wing, 2nd Bn. The Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders has also made inquiries with the view of commencing Life Saving classes in the Battalion. Handbooks have been forwarded, but as there are insufficient instructors, classes have not yet been started.

The members of the Victoria Recreation Club, who did so well last year in all tests, and captured many of the awards, anticipate sending in a list of candidates this year.

Instructors Wanted.

Any one in the Colony holding the Life Saving Certificate and Bronze Medalion who would like to volunteer assistance as Instructors should communicate with the Society, and their services will be welcomed and greatly appreciated. This applies also to the holders of the Hon. Instructor's Certificate.

All interested in Life Saving who may require further information on the matter should communicate with the local representative of the Society whose address is—Sergeant R. J. Hunt, Central Police Station.

LESSON SERMON.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Hong Kong.

"Christian Science" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, June 28. The Golden Text was:—"Arise, shine; for thy light is come, and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee." (Isaiah 60, 1.)

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible:—"Verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on me, the works that I do shall he do also; and greater works than these shall he do; because I go unto my Father. And whatsoever ye shall ask in my name, that will I do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son." (John 14, 12, 13.)

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy:—"Christ, as the spiritual or true idea of God, comes now as of old, preaching the gospel to the poor, healing the sick, and casting out evil. It is error which is restoring an essential element of Christianity, namely, apostolic, divine healing? No; it is the Science of Christianity which is restoring it; and is the light shining in darkness, which the darkness comprehends not." (p. 347.)

Oil production from the Turner Valley, Alberta, for the first quarter of 1931, is running far ahead of the same period last year, according to official delivery reports, furnished by the Imperial Oil and Regal Oil refineries at Calgary. For the first three months of 1930 deliveries from Canada's premier oilfield amounted to 273,129 barrels and for the same period of 1931 they totalled 417,900 barrels, or an increase of over 50 per cent. March deliveries, which were interrupted to some extent by Government experiments in shutting in to test rock pressure, totalled 128,975 barrels and were slightly under the February aggregate of 132,267 barrels, but much in excess of the 56,801 barrels produced in March of the previous year.

Mr. A. H. Rumjahn and Mr. Ho Slew-un.
Sub-Committee, Decoration.—Mr. Sreto Chung.
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Sub-Committee, Reception.—Mr. Fan Shui-nam and Mr. Chan Man-tai.
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SHINYO MARU	Tuesday	21st July.
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HIKAWA MARU	Tuesday	28th July.
HIYE MARU	Tuesday	25th August.
LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM via Singapore, Penang, Colombo, Suez.		
HAKONE MARU	Saturday	11th July.
YASUKUNI MARU	Monday	27th July.
SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila & Ports.		
KAMO MARU	Saturday	25th July.
KITANO MARU	Saturday	22nd August.
BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang, & Colombo.		
TANGO MARU	Saturday	11th July.
SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu, Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.		
GINYO MARU	Tuesday	30th June.
HEIYO MARU	Tuesday	28th July.
NEW YORK, BOSTON via Panama.		
TATSUNO MARU	Monday	13th July.
LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Stamboul (Constantinople), Genoa.		
DURBAN MARU	Sunday	19th July.
CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon.		
MORIOKA MARU	Wednesday	1st July.
GENOA MARU	Tuesday	7th July.
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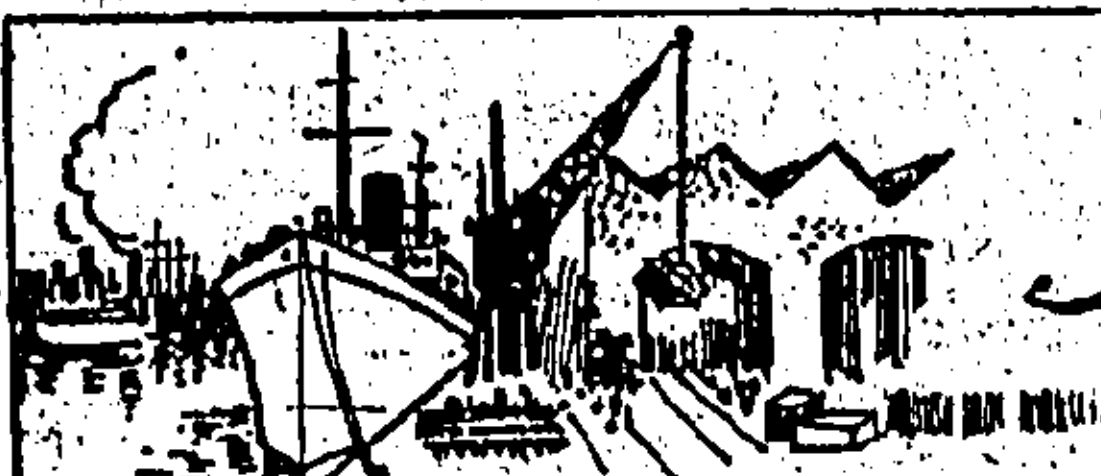
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LONDON, HAMBURG, ROTTERDAM & ANTWERP via Singapore, Colombo, Suez & Port Said.	Honolulu Maru	Wed.	8th July
NEW YORK via Japan ports, Los Angeles & Panama. Call Direct at Boston, Philadelphia & Baltimore.	Paris Maru	Tues.	14th July
BOMBAY & KARACHI via Singapore, Penang & Colombo.	Tokai Maru	Thurs.	9th July
CALCUTTA via Singapore, Belawan Deli & Rangoon.	Kwansai Maru	Thurs.	23rd July
HAIPHONG via Hanoi & Peking (Fortnightly).	Havre Maru	Sat.	4th July
KEELUNG via Swatow & Amoy (3 p.m. every Sunday).	Burma Maru	Thurs.	2nd July
TAKAO via Swatow & Amoy (Fortnightly).	Canton Maru	Sun.	5th July
	Hozan Maru	Sun.	12th July
	Deli Maru	Thurs.	2nd July

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Friday, June 26.	
Derfflinger, German str., 5,027 tons, Capt. T. Thele, from Shanghai, buoy No. A1.—Melchers & Co.	
Kaitangata, British str., 1,201 tons, Captain J. McThompson, from Bangkok, buoy No. C1.—Williamson & Co.	
Saturday, June 27.	
Chengtu, British str., 1,338 tons, Captain W. L. Thomas, from Canton, buoy No. B3.—B. & S.	
Daviken, Norwegian str., 1,778 tons, Capt. G. Svane, from Pakhoi, buoy No. A5.—Sing Kee & Co.	
Deli Maru, Japanese str., 1,293 tons, Captain E. Sanada, from Swatow, Stonecutters Anchorage.—O.S.K.	
Dorry, German str., 1,085 tons, Captain J. Bruhn, from Saigon, buoy No. C4.—Chang Tong Ha.	
Dukat, Norwegian str., 761 tons, Capt. E. Ellertsen, from Bangkok, buoy No. B2.—Chin Seng Hong.	
Gustav Diederichsen, Danish str., 1,352 tons, Captain J. Jackson, from Swatow, buoy No. C2.—Jebesen & Co.	
Hellas, Norwegian str., 1,114 tons, Capt. J. Davidson, from Swatow, buoy No. C6.—Thoresen & Co.	
Hong Peng, British str., 2,525 tons, Capt. H. G. Hay, from Singapore, buoy No. A8.—Ho Thong & Co.	
Koromiko, British str., 1,259 tons, Captain E. Jones, from Kamfa, Yaumati Anchorage.—Williamson & Co.	
Ningpo, British str., 1,228 tons, Capt. J. R. Nisbet, from Saigon, buoy No. B2.—B. & S.	
President Lincoln, American str., 14,187 tons, Captain M. M. Jensen, from Manila, Kowloon Wharf.—A.M.L.	
President Van Buren, American str., 6,195 tons, Captain H. S. Bauer, from Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf.—Dollar S.S. Line.	
Somali, British str., 3,550 tons, Capt. T. H. Kemp, from Singapore, Naval No. 6 buoy.—M. M. & Co.	
Stuart Dollar, American str., 4,355 tons, Capt. D. D. Waldron, from Shanghai, buoy No. A11.—A.M.L.	
Sulyang, British str., 1,594 tons, Capt. J. Byrne, from Swatow, buoy No. B2.—B. & S.	
Suwa Maru, Japanese str., 6,637 tons, Capt. S. Euya, from London via Singapore, Kowloon Wharf.—N.Y.K.	
Talma, British str., 6,152 tons, Capt. G. Harley, from Osaka, Kowloon Wharf.—M. M. & Co.	
Tjimoniek, Dutch str., 3,510 tons, Capt. H. J. A. Krijt, from Tg. Pandan, buoy No. A4.—J.C.J.L.	
Tonjer, Norwegian str., 1,943 tons, Captain H. Rasmussen, from Chinwangtao, buoy No. B26.—Dodwell & Co.	
Walshing, British str., 1,170 tons, Capt. A. Sinclair, from Canton, buoy No. B1.—J. M. & Co.	
Sunday, June 28.	
Haiching, British str., 1,284 tons, Capt. Ellis Walker, from Foochow via Amoy and Swatow, Douglas Wharf.—Douglas S.S. Co.	
Hydrangea, British str., 561 tons, Captain P. W. Grieron, from Swatow, Chi On Wharf.—Chi On S.S. Co.	
Kingyuan, British str., 1,546 tons, Capt. John Taylor, from Canton, Takoo Dock.—B. & S.	
Kumakata Maru, Japanese str., 788 tons, Capt. C. Kawamoto, from Keelung, Yaumati Anchorage.—M.B.K.	

Saarbruecken, German str., 5,385 tons, Captain J. Meyer, from Manila, Kowloon Wharf.—Melchers & Co.

Suisang, British str., 1,583 tons, Capt. C. W. Roas, from Singapore, Kowloon Wharf.—J. M. & Co.

Yingchow, British str., 1,216 tons, Capt. Wm. Christie, from Canton, buoy No. B20.—B. & S.

WARSHIPS IN PORT.

The following British warships were in harbour to-day:—
Cicala—East wall.
Olin—In dock.
Olympus—West wall dock.
Otus—In dock.
Farthian—West wall dock.
Sandwich—North wall.
Sterling—North arm.
Tamar—Basin.
Foreign.
Argus—French gunboat.
Adamastor—Portuguese cruiser.
Vigilante—French gunboat.

VISIT TO KIEL.

In response to an invitation from the German Government, H.M.S. Dorsetshire, flying the flag of Rear-Admiral E. Astley Astley-Rushton, and H.M.S. Norfolk will pay an unofficial visit to Kiel from July 4 to July 11, on their return from the Summer cruise of the Second Cruise Squadron in the Baltic.

It was in June, 1924, that the last British naval visit to Germany took place. On that occasion a squadron of four battleships, under the command of the late Admiral Sir George Warrender, cast anchor in Kiel Harbour.

CONSIGNEES' NOTICES.

Consignees of cargo ex s.s. Afrika are reminded to take delivery of their goods which will be subject to rent after July 2.

Consignees of cargo ex s.s. Venezia-L are reminded to take delivery of their goods which will be subject to rent after July 2.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

GENERAL HOLIDAY.

On Wednesday, July 1, the General Post Office and Branch Post Offices will be open from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m.

There will be one collection from the pillar-boxes and one delivery of ordinary correspondence as on Sundays and one delivery of registered correspondence at 9 a.m.

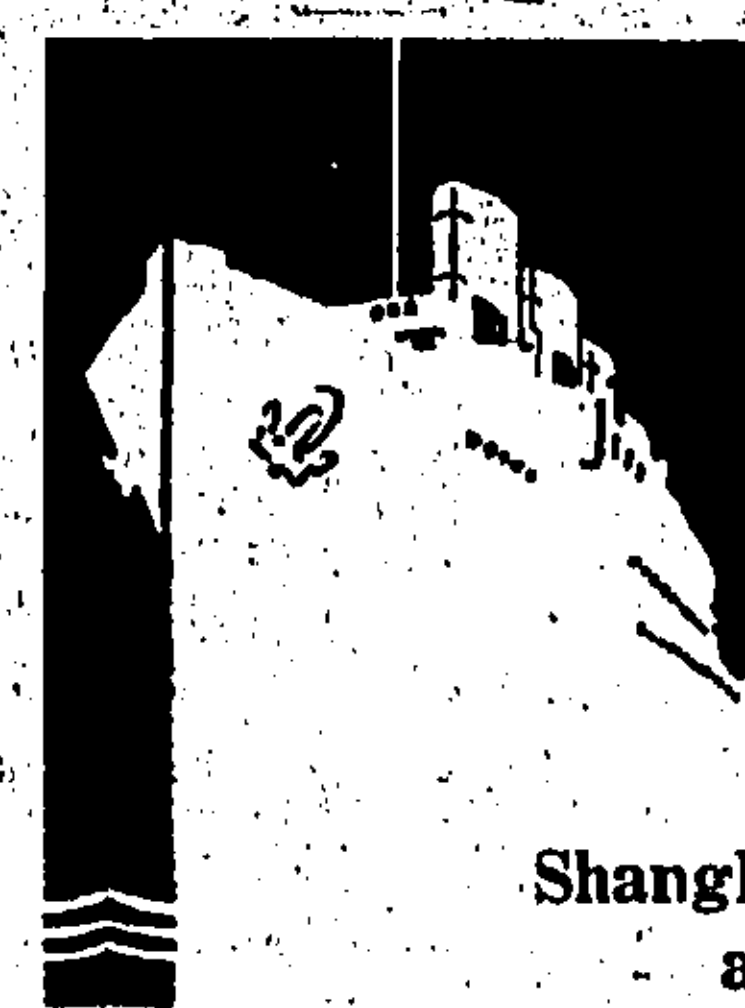
The Money Order Office will be entirely closed.

INWARD MAILS.

TUESDAY, JUNE 30	
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, June 5) & Europe via Siberia (London, June 11)	President Jackson (Ship due 7 p.m., June 29.)
Japan and Shanghai	Helan Maru
Shanghai and Amoy	Tai Yuan
WEDNESDAY, JULY 1.	
Japan and Swatow	Empress of Russia
Manila and Swatow	St. Albans
Calcutta and Straits	Sirdhana
Amoy and Swatow	Cremor
Java and Manila	Tjisanora
THURSDAY, JULY 2.	
Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers, London, June 4 and Parcels May 28)	Khyber
FRIDAY, JULY 3.	
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, June 11)	Tatsuta Maru
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle June 18)	President Madison
SATURDAY, JULY 4.	
Australia and Manila	Nellore
SUNDAY, JULY 5.	
Japan	Brisbane Maru
Shanghai and Amoy	Tjinegara
TUESDAY, JULY 7.	
Straits	Van Heutz

OUTWARD MAILS.

MONDAY, JUNE 29	
Samsui and Wuchow	Tai Shan 4 p.m.
Amoy	Sui Sang 5 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., C. & S. America & Europe via Vancouver, B.C.	Helan Maru (Due Vancouver, B.C., July 20, and Europe via Siberia.) Registration June 29, 5 p.m. Letters June 30, 8.30 a.m.
TUESDAY, JUNE 30	
Holhow and Bangkok	Michael Jensen 8.30 a.m.
Java via Batavia	Tjisanak 10.30 a.m.
Japan and S. American Ports	Glyno Maru 10.30 a.m.
Straits and Calcutta	Talma
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Parcels June 30, Noon
Manila	Letters June 30, 1 p.m.
WEDNESDAY, JULY 1.	
Holhow and Bangkok	Hai Ching 1 p.m.
Amoy	President Jackson 4.30 p.m.
Sandakan	Kwei Yang 9 a.m.
THURSDAY, JULY 2.	
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow	Tai Yuan 9 a.m.
Holhow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Hai Sang 9 a.m.
Straits	Deli Maru 8.30 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., C. & S. America & Europe via Vancouver, B.C.	King Yuan 10.30 a.m.
FRIDAY, JULY 3.	
Empress of Russia (Due Vancouver, B.C., July 20, and Europe via Siberia.)	Parcels July 2, 5 p.m.
Registration July 3, 9.15 a.m.	Letters July 3, 10 a.m.
Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane	
SATURDAY, JULY 4.	
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	St. Albans (Due Brisbane, July 20.)
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. & S. Africa, Aden, Egypt & Europe via Marseilles	Parcels July 3, 5 p.m.
Registration July 4, 9.45 a.m.	Letters July 4, 10.30 a.m.
K.P.O.	
Parcel July 3, 4.30 p.m.	Parcel July 3, 5 p.m.
Registration July 4, 9 a.m.	Registration July 4, 9.45 a.m.
Letters July 4, 10 a.m.	Letters July 4, 10.30 a.m.



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Empress of Japan	July 18	July 21	July 23	July 25	July 31	Aug. 5
Empress of Asia	July 31	Aug. 3	Aug. 6	Aug. 8	—	Aug. 17
Empress of Canada	Aug. 10	Aug. 18	Aug. 20	Aug. 22	—	Aug. 30
Empress of Russia	Aug. 28	Aug. 31	Sept. 3	Sept. 5	—	Sept. 14
Empress of Japan	Sept. 12	Sept. 15	Sept. 17	Sept. 19	—	Sept. 27
Empress of Asia	Sept. 25	Sept. 28	Oct. 1	Oct. 3	—	Oct. 12
Empress of Canada	Oct. 10	Oct. 18	Oct. 20	Oct. 22	—	Oct. 25
Empress of Russia	Oct. 23	Oct. 26	Oct. 28	Oct. 31	—	Nov. 9
Empress of Japan	Nov. 7	Nov. 10	Nov. 12	Nov. 14	—	Nov. 22
Empress of Asia	Nov. 20	Nov. 23	Nov. 26	Nov. 28	—	Dec. 6
Empress of Canada	Dec. 5	Dec. 8	Dec. 10	Dec. 12	—	Dec. 20
Empress of Russia	Dec. 18	Dec. 21	Dec. 24	Dec. 26	—	Jan. 4

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EMPEROR OF JAPAN	July 10	July 12
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All claims against the vessel must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 13th July, or they will not be recognised.

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WATER LEVELS.

Details for West, North and East Rivers.

The following table, issued by the Kwangtung River Conservancy Commission, shows in feet the water levels on the West River, North River and East River on the dates named:—

	June 25	June 26	June 27	June 28	June 29
West River at Shuiking	25.9	25.6	25.7	25.8	25.9
North River at Shuiking	20.7	20.8	20.9	21.0	21.1
East River at Shuiking	18.2	18.3	18.4	18.5	18.6
The Highest Levels recorded are:—Shuiking, 41 feet; Taling-yuen, 29.2 feet; Samshui, 27.3 feet; Shuiking, 11.5 feet.					
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*PERIM	7,700	25th July	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam & Antwerp.
*KHYBER	9,000	1st Aug.	Marseilles, L'An, R'dam & Antwerp.
*SOMALI	6,800	8th Aug.	Marseilles, Gib'lar, Havre, L'An, Hull, Hamburg, Rotterdam & Antwerp.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	15th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*PADUA	6,000	22nd Aug.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam & Antwerp.
*KARMALA	9,000	29th Aug.	Marseilles, London, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
CATHAY	15,000	12th Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
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NELLORE	7,000	15th July	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Y'ham.
TILAWA	10,000	17th July	Amoy, S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	17th July	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
SANTHIA	8,000	21st July	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
KARMALA	9,000	21st July	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
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Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McDonald and family are returning to Calcutta, India, where Mr. McDonald is employed as district manager of the Standard Oil Co. of New York. They have been on a vacation in the United States for the past several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Seaholm, of San Francisco, are en route to Colombo where Mr. Seaholm will take over his duties as the passenger agent for the Dollar S.S. Line. For the past several years Mr. Seaholm has been purser of several of the Dollar liners.

Mr. Lloyd Free, son of Arthur Free, of the House of Representatives in the United States, is en route to Colombo from Kobe on a pleasure trip.

Mrs. Isabelle Swan and Mrs. Cathryn Foss, of the United States, are en route to Suez on a pleasure trip.

STEAMERS' MOVEMENTS

The P. & O. s.s. Comorin from Hong Kong arrived at London on June 26 at 7 a.m.

The C.P.S. R.M.S. Empress of Russia arrived at Manila on June 28 (Sun.) at noon, leaves Manila on June 29 (Mon.) at 4 p.m., and is due at Hong Kong on July 1 (Wed.) at 7 a.m. She leaves Hong Kong for Vancouver via ports on July 3 (Fri.) at noon.

The C.P.S. R.M.S. Empress of Canada arrived at Yokohama on June 26 (Fri.) at 4 p.m., left Yokohama on June 27 (Sat.) at 3 p.m., and is due at Honolulu on July 3 (Fri.). She leaves Honolulu for Vancouver on July 8 (Fri.).

The P. & O. s.s. Khyber left Singapore for this port on June 28 at 8 a.m. with the outward English Mail, and is due here on July 2 at about noon.

The C.P.S. R.M.S. Empress of Japan arrived at Honolulu on June 25 (Thurs.) at 11 a.m., left Honolulu on June 26 (Fri.) at 10 a.m., and is due at Yokohama on July 4 (Sat.). She leaves Yokohama for Hong Kong via Kobe and Shanghai on July 4 (Sat.), p.m.

HONG KONG TIDES.

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June 29 to July 5, 1931.					
DATE	HIGH WATER	LOW WATER	DATE	HIGH WATER	LOW WATER
June	Standard Time	ft.	Standard Time	ft.	
Mon. 29	02 11	7.2	11 40	2.1	
Tues. 30	03 45	4.0	10 19	1.3	
Wed. 1	05 30	4.1	08 13	0.1	
Thurs. 2	06 32	7.8	07 01	0.1	
Fri. 3	07 14	11.1	05 54	0.1	
Sat. 4	08 53	4.4	04 56	0.1	
Sun. 5	10 59	7.4	03 58	0.6	
	11 35	4.4	02 58	0.7	
	12 37	7.0	01 55	1.2	
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T'au via S'hai & S'hai	KWONGSANG	Wed. 8th July at 10 a.m.
T'au via S'hai & S'hai	KWONGSANG	Sun. 12th July at 10 a.m.
S'pore, Penang & Calcutta	KWONGSANG	Thurs. 9th July at 3 p.m.
S'pore, Penang & Calcutta	KWONGSANG	Tues. 21st July at 3 p.m.
S'pore, Penang & Calcutta	KWONGSANG	Sat. 8th Aug. at 3 p.m.
Osaka via Amoy, Shanghai & Kobe	SUISANG	Tues. 30th June at 7 a.m.
Osaka via Amoy, Shanghai & Kobe	KWONGSANG	Sat. 18th July at 7 a.m.
Osaka via Amoy, Shanghai & Kobe	HONGSANG	Tues. 28th July at 7 a.m.
Sandakan	HONGSANG	Wed. 1st July at 8 p.m.
Sandakan	MAUSANG	Sun. 19th July at 10 a.m.
Sandakan	YUSANG	Sat. 4th July at Noon
Tientsin via Swatow, Foochow & Chefoo	CHEONGSHING	Fri. 3rd July at 7 a.m.
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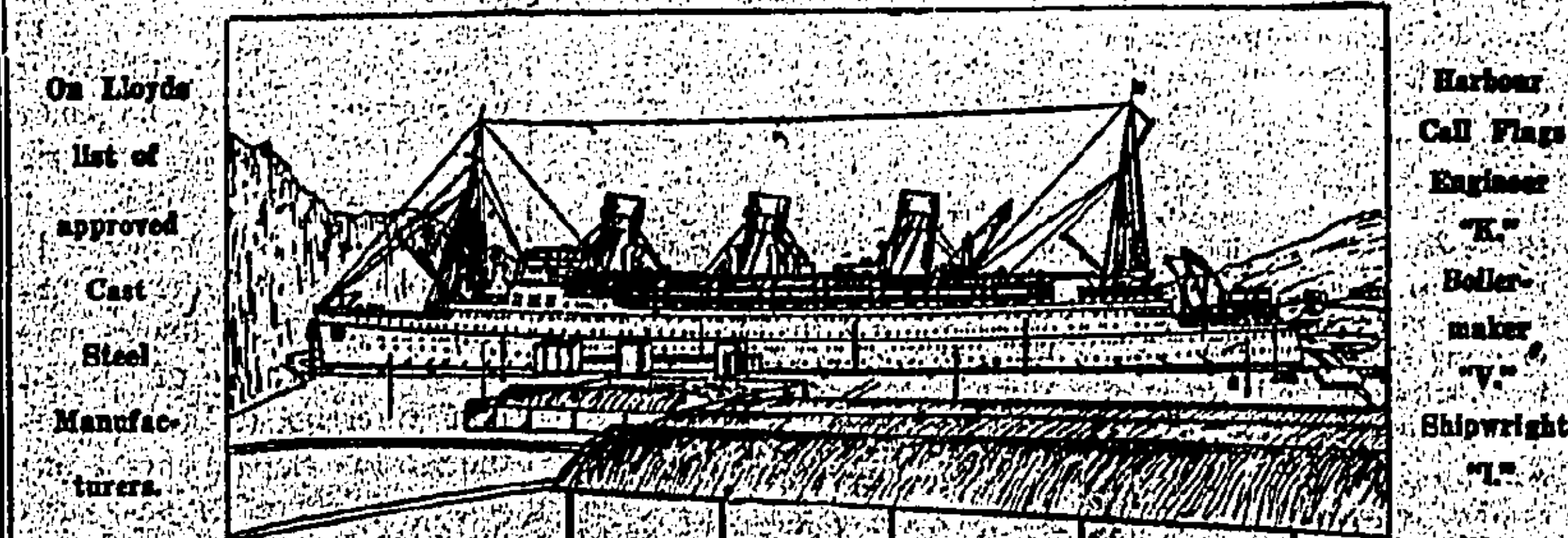
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"No Promise Possible."

It was disclosed during last week that Lord Passfield, Secretary of State for the Colonies, has requested His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, to inform the members of the Civil Service here that he is unable in the meantime to revert to the former method of payment of salaries on a dollar basis. He will review the position in the light of the Currency Commissioners' recent report, when the petitioners' representations will be carefully borne in mind, although no promise can be made that the decision can be varied.

It has always been considered anomalous that, in a Colony where the currency is based on the dollar salaries of Civil Servants should be fixed by the Colonial Office in London in sterling, and dependent on the rate of exchange. The agitation for a revision is by no means new. It has had the unanimous support of the Press of the Colony. It is a coincidence that one of our morning newspapers publishes to-day an extract from its file of June 29, 1906, referring to the decision in the Straits Settlements that all employees should be paid according to the currency of the country they are employed in and in which the revenue is raised. Commenting on that eminently sensible arrangement, our contemporary very properly argued that "Hong Kong Civil Servants should be paid in dollars, not pounds, and if it were possible to do so, it would be a great advantage at this late hour to institute such an arrangement. It could prevent a vast amount of dissatisfaction among new officials and place the Government in a much better and happier position."

It would be considered equally anomalous to pay salaries on a sterling basis in Canada and Newfoundland. In Bermuda salaries are paid in sterling, but in British Guiana accounts are kept in dollars and cents, although British sterling and United States gold coin is current and legal tender. In Ceylon accounts are kept in rupees, and the money in circulation is Indian and Ceylon rupee currency, but the salaries of Civil Servants are fixed in sterling. The rupee, however, is standardised at the rate of 15 to the £. And so on right through the Dominions and Crown Colonies. Anomalies in the basis of salaries are as thick as leaves in Vallombrosa, pointing to the need for universal revision according to the needs of each particular Colony. A movement has been established for some time in favour of a uniform international currency, freed from the vagaries of exchange, but until that can become operative, an effort should be made in the direction of a uniform standard of currency for the British Empire. And, again, until that can be accomplished, the local agitation for the payment of all salaries on a dollar basis should be most persistently persevered with in the interests not alone of employees but of employers. "Olo custom" has long been a characteristic of the East, but it has no less a deadly grip over the Colonial Office and every other Department of the British Government. We in the Crown Colonies are ever at the mercy of the political Party in power and of the whims and fancies of the ever-changing heads of the Colonial Office.

News in Brief.

The ceremonies of the opening of the new Science Building at Stephen's College, Stanley, and the Unveiling of a memorial to the Hon. Mr. Chan Shu-ki will be performed by the Hon. Mr. Wilfrid T. Southern, C.M.G., Colonial Secretary, on Saturday at 8 p.m. Buses will leave the corner of Queen's Road, Central, and Pedder Street at 2 p.m.

Two months' hard labour was imposed on Fong Heung at the Kowloon Police Court this morning. The accused was employed as a feld at the Kwong Man Lung Laundry, Shanghai Street, and stole a window curtain and a quantity of clothing between May 2 and June 25. The master of the laundry has had to make good losses to the value of \$100 since accused entered his employment.

AIRCRAFT NOISE NUISANCE.

"Restraint" Warning to Pilots.

MUST BE SUPPRESSED.

The army authorities in the U.S.A. have been taking notice of the distressing noise made by aircraft. In an effort to mitigate the nuisance, they issued a notice to military air-pilots advising them to exercise a certain restraint.

The Adjutant, Second Wing, U.S.A. Air Corps, Langley Field, Virginia, sent out the following notice:—

The airplane has ceased to be a novelty and a seven days' wonder, and the world is no longer thrilled at the sound of an approaching airplane. At least, this is true of the personnel and their families on Air Corps posts.

Consequently the pilot who returns from a cross-country flight and proceeds to drive down along the water front, jazzing his motor and making as much racket as possible, no longer attracts a gaping crowd from their houses to sunburn their tonsils while they gasp at the daring hero's return. Particularly is this true on Sunday and holiday afternoons.

Nor does one thrill with admiration for the intrepid birdman who is about to take flight when awakened in the small hours of dawn before reveille by that birdman's motors being warmed up with a vigour that would put a jazz orchestra to shame.

There are sweeter sounds in the early hours than that parting call of a wide open motor as the pilot circles the drowsy post below.

All of which should serve as a reminder to pilots to keep abreast of the times and discard the loud spectacularity of the type and put on the quiet dignity of the master.

There are three telephones in the Post Operation Office which may be used to notify wives and families of your safe return. The notice is interesting on account of its divergence from the cold formality of the G.R.O.s so many of our soldiers knew during the war.

POSEIDON FUND.

Subscriptions Pass the \$41,000 Mark.

LATEST LIST.

Staff—Hong Kong Electric Co., Ltd.	294.
N.C.O.'s and Men "D" (M.G.) Co, 1st S.W. Borderers	144.
Men of Headquarters Wing, 1st S.W. Borderers	130.
Lt. H. Gough (part raffia—C. No. 2139)	100.
Officers, N.C.O.'s and Airmen, R.A.F.	90.
Master, Officers and Engineers, s.s. Yachting	45.
S. Komar	30.
C. P. F. James	25.
M. P. F. James	25.
Capt. and Mrs. D. Thomas	20.
British Legion	\$ 903.
W. A. Alabaster	50.
Ho Lung	26.
Anonymous	25.
Dr. R. E. Tottenham	25.
R.C.S.	3.
Previously acknowledged	\$ 608.
Total	\$ 41,482.67

The lowest open air temperature yesterday was 73 degrees. The humidity was 79 at 6 a.m. and 80 at 2 p.m.

The total output of the Kallan Mining Administration's mines for the week ended June 18 amounted to 107,143 tons, and the sales to 42,726 tons.

On Wednesday the whole of the three Schools with many friends and parents went by launches to the Lighthouse Island where they fully enjoyed a most delightful picnic, and thus brought to an end the jubilee celebrations of the founding in 1881 of the now justly famous Chefoo Schools.

Chefoo is crowded more than ever with visitors this year as the American Navy is here in full force. Magnificent weather adds much to the enjoyment of all and it looks as though we are to have a record Summer this year. The wheat harvest has been almost gathered in, and the farmers are now busy preparing for their next crops.

One of the latest of the American Navy's big boats is here, the U.S.S. Houston. She looks a magnificent ship, and one ready to fulfil all that could be expected from her when called on.

General Liu Chen-nien is away in the country inspecting his troops stationed around this centre.

BOAT RACE THRILLS AT CHEFOO.

Jubilee Foundation Day Celebrations.

CROWDED WITH VISITORS.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

Chefoo, June 18.

The Jubilee Foundation Day celebrations were commenced on Monday afternoon with the usual Boat-races. The weather which had been threatening during the morning cleared nicely and the sun was shining brightly as the boats went forward to take up their positions.

The Junior Boys' School race was rowed first and was a capital race, the boats keeping well together till just before the finish when the Leander stroked by Paul Dille, with a well timed spurt crossed the line in 3 mins. 23.4/5 seconds.

The Girls' School race followed and was a good one from start to finish, the Leander stroked by Eleanor Ford, winning the laurels in 4 mins. 26 secs. thus beating last year's time by 9 secs. The Senior Boys' School crews were this year very closely matched and it was evident from the first that this would be a close race. The Leander was well stroked by David Landsborough, and was perhaps the favourite boat, but the Hero, stroked by Alf. C. Moore, with a slightly faster stroke, won a well rowed race in 4 mins. 31.5 secs., which was the best time made during the past 3 years.

Boating Colours were presented to the following girls:—Mary Bril, Eleanor Ford, and Mary Macpherson; and Caps to the following boys:—J. E. Hanna, B. C. Walker, A. C. Moore, N. D. Smith, J. Hearne, and T. J. Hirst.

The evening closed with the usual Boating Supper given by the Boys' School Coach, Mr. S. G. Martin.

At 8 o'clock on Tuesday morning the annual cricket match took place between the Boys' School 1st XI. and parents and visitors, when after a good game the former won with but a narrow majority.

At 11 o'clock the Memorial Hall was well filled to celebrate the jubilee of the opening of the Schools in 1881. The service was conducted by the Rev. A. H. Faers, who graphically but tersely outlined the history of the Schools from the commencement, telling of the gradual growth of both compound, and buildings as well as scholars during the past fifty years. Three telegrams were then read from Mr. and Mrs. McCarthy, Dr. and Mrs. Judd, and the Chefoo Schools Association, London, who sent their congratulations and best wishes; after which Jackson's Te Deum was sung as a Psalm of Thanksgiving. This was followed by an address given by an Old Boy, the Rev. Donald Irwin, who spoke most effectively on "Foundations." This service was brought to a close by the hearty singing of the hymn, "Forward be Our Watchword" and the Benediction.

Final Tournament.

At 3.30 p.m. a very large gathering assembled under the trees to enjoy a short time of fellowship and a good cup of tea so generously provided by the ladies of the three schools, and which always adds not a little to the enjoyment of Foundation Day. A move was then made to the tennis courts where several good games of tennis were played with the following results:—

The final of the School Tournament was played between Helen Best and Bertam Walker and B. Hanco and David Landsborough, the former pair winning a very closely contested game which was watched with keen interest throughout. The winners of the tournament are presented with a racquet each sent out by the Chefoo Schools Association of Old Girls and Boys.

Two games were then played by the runners up in the Tournament and were won by Edna Rist and Alf. Moore, and Irene Bannan and W. Thomas.

Then came the excitement of the afternoon when Past and Present Girls and Past and Present Boys played two sets each. The first game was a well fought one and resulted in a draw, while in the second game the Old Boys won the laurels, winning both sets.

Musicals.

During the evening a very enjoyable musicals was given by local friends to a large and appreciative audience, under the capable Chairmanship of Mr. S. G. Martin, who also gave one of his clever readings entitled "Socrates" at the Boat Race, while the boys of the 4th Form stirred the audience greatly as they recited in Latin an exciting piece entitled "How the Philosopher laid the Ghost." A most enjoyable evening was brought to a close by the singing of the metrical version of the 23rd Psalm.

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ISLAM'S "DAY OF REST."

Turkey's Move for Reform.

CAUTION URGED.

The all-important religious-economic question of adopting the Christian Sunday as the Day of Rest in place of the Moslem Friday is again on the carpet.

During the final meeting of the People's Party Congress at Angora, it was voted that this reform should be included in the Party's programme for the coming year.

Some deputies took the floor, however, to warn the Government to be cautious with this measure, touching, as it does, the religious sensibilities of millions of Moslem-Turkish citizens.

Kurdish revolts and the agitation of fanatics at Memmen have somewhat tardily taught the Kemalists the wisdom of the "make haste slowly" adage.

Turkey's business loss in closing her market on Friday instead of the international no-business day of Sunday is bad enough. Even worse is the loss caused by business stagnation during the long religious holidays: the three days of the Candy Festival, the four days of Mutton Festival, and the thirty days of the fasting month of Ramzan.

Some deputies insist that it is more important to curtail these "months of Sundays" than to adopt Sunday itself.

A tentative step in that direction was the Government's taboo this year on the traditional official receptions during the Mutton Festival.

MURDER TRIAL SEQUEL.

No Compensation for Mr. Wallace.

NO PRECEDENT.

Compensation cannot be paid to Mr. William Herbert Wallace, the Liverpool insurance agent, whose conviction for the murder of his wife was quashed by the Court of Criminal Appeal.

This fact was announced by the Home Secretary, Mr. J. R. Clynes, in the House of Commons. He was replying to Mr. J. S. Clarke, who asked if Mr. Clynes would consider the question of a grant in compensation for the suffering and material injury endured by Mr. Wallace.

Mr. Clynes said there was no precedent for the grant of compensation on such grounds.

Mr. Mugggeridge asked whether it would not affect the course of justice in future if it cost £1,500 to secure an acquittal of this kind.

The Home Secretary—I cannot answer for the position of the law or the way it takes its course.

ORDERED TO LEAVE.

Doctor Creates Scene at Inquest.

DISAGREED WITH VERDICT.

A doctor, who said that he disagreed with the coroner's verdict at a Chichester, Sussex, inquest was removed by a police sergeant from the room by order of the coroner. Afterwards he was allowed to return and give evidence.

The inquest was on Private John Henry Billinson, of the Royal Sussex Regiment. While doing front dives over forms in the barack room, Billinson landed on his forehead instead of his arms. He died in hospital.

After medical evidence the coroner (Mr. Loader Cooper) returned a verdict of accidental death. Dr. Brooke said that he disagreed wholly with the verdict, and the coroner ordered him to be removed.

Ten Years Ago.

[From the "China Mail" of June 29, 1921.]

To-day's dollar is worth 2/7½.

The King Edward Hotel building which stands on an area of 7,500 square feet has been sold to a Chinese syndicate headed by Mr. Lo Kwai-chun, of Wing Lok Street. It is stated that when the lease of the Hotel expires in three years' time, the whole block will be converted into business offices.

DASH TO POLE.

Sir Hubert Wilkins Leaves London.

TO SEE EXPERTS.

London, Saturday. Sir Hubert Wilkins arrived in London from Devonport this morning and, in an interview, said that he was sailing for Norway to-day in order to discuss the situation with experts. In the meantime they are doing all possible with the Nautilus, awaiting certain parts of the machinery from America. He hoped to have the Nautilus repaired in time to make a dash to the Pole. —Reuter.

Shanghai, Yesterday. Quick progress is being made by the round-the-world fliers, Gatty and Post, who have arrived at Blagoveshchensk, on the Manchurian-Siberian border, 500 miles from Vladivostok. They landed in a mud-hole at 8 p.m., yesterday, Shanghai time, and in spite of the slight mishap, took off for Habarovsk early this morning. After leaving Novosibirsk in the early hours of yesterday morning, the fliers flew straight for Irkutsk, where they arrived at 11.55 p.m. leaving for Blagoveshchensk at 2.10 p.m.

Tokyo, Yesterday. A Harbin message states that Post and Gatty arrived at Habarovsk at 2.30 p.m. (Shanghai time), and started refuelling immediately for their flight to Nome (Alaska), but have decided to wait to take off at dawn to-morrow. —Reuter.

WORLD FLIGHT.

Post and Gatty Arrive at Irkutsk.

RECORD BROKEN.

Irkutsk, Saturday. The airmen Gatty and Post hopped off at 2.10 p.m. (Shanghai time) for Blagoveshchensk to-day.

Siberian Planes.

Shanghai, Saturday. A message from Irkutsk states that Post and Gatty arrived there at 11.55 (Shanghai time). —Reuter.

Mud Holed.

Blagoveshchensk, Saturday. Gatty and Post arrived at 8 p.m. (Shanghai time). Although mud-holed they hope to leave for Habarovsk at 3 o'clock on Sunday morning. —Reuter.

KOREA'S DEFENCE.

Division Transferred from Kyoto.

DIET SANCTION REQUIRED.

Tokyo, Saturday. For strategic reasons the military authorities have tentatively decided to transfer the Kyoto division to Korea permanently, thereby raising the Korean garrison to a total of three divisions, but the Diet's sanction is required before the transfer can be effected. —Reuter.

FEETHAM REPORT.

Secret Meeting with Foreign Minister.

SHANGHAI'S FUTURE.

Shanghai, Saturday. Considerable importance is attached to a meeting this morning between Dr. C. T. Wang and Judge Feetham, whom the Nanjing Foreign Minister, who arrived from Nanjing yesterday, expressed a desire to see.

Dr. Wang and Judge Feetham met at the Shanghai office of the Nanjing Foreign Ministry and conversed for half an hour, but the subject of discussion was not divulged. It is believed, however, that it had something to do with Judge Feetham's report. —Reuter.

LIBERAL PARTY.

Rumour of a Serious Split.

London, Saturday. The Liberal Party is faced with a serious split. Three members of the House of Commons, Sir John Simon, Mr. Robert Hutchison, and Mr. Ernest Brown, are reported to have decided to sever connection with the Liberal Party as a protest against the alliance of Mr. Lloyd George and the Government. It is expected that they will write to the Liberal Chief Whip to this effect during the week-end, and it is believed that a number of other Liberals will follow their example. —Reuter.

ROUND THE CINEMAS.

What Mail Reviewers Say.

"CITY LIGHTS."

Full houses at the Queen's Theatre yesterday roared with laughter at "City Lights" in which Charles Chaplin makes his comeback to the screen.

Although dressed the same as he appeared in "The Circus" and other silent-day pictures of his, with those inimitable boots, that smile, and that twist of the cane, Chaplin, in his latest, is seen in the role of a tramp. In the course of his wanderings in a large city, he meets a blind flower girl, in whom he finds reconciliation. An eccentric millionaire is the tramp's best friend—but only when drunk!

Attired in an evening suit, not made for him, Chaplin is the guest of the millionaire, and they go to dinner at an hotel. The fun that follows is rollicking, especially when Charlie takes hold of an elderly lady and paces the floor with her. Then one sees Charlie in a boxing match, which is overflowing with fun!

Virginia Cherrill, as the blind girl, and Harry Myers in the role of the eccentric millionaire, both act splendidly, whilst Allan Garcia and Hank Mann are also in the supporting cast.

From Other Sources.

"SPLINTERS."

Imagine a Tommy in the front line receiving a sudden order to report at Army Headquarters at once. What for? What's up? He has done nothing... nothing serious. There was the mademoiselle at Doullens. There was the lark at Ypres. There was... but Army Headquarters! Phew! He goes. A friend cannot refrain from the fun of playing on his fears. He is ushered into the great presence. He hears the great voice. Is he Private Jones? He hears himself admit it. Was he a comedian in civilian life? He dare not deny it. He is shepherded out before he quite realises that he has been ordered to organise a show.

The see him commanding a motley mob of assistants. He transforms a derelict hut into a concert hall. He builds a stage of packing cases. What of footlights? Candles in bottles. What of curtains? Where get scenes, properties, costumes? He begs, borrows, commandeers, requisitions, scrounges. He invents, devises, and improvises. Sacking becomes drapery. Old curtains over forms become furniture. Piled-up sugar-boxes leap into ornamental pillars. But, famine of fancies, what of artists?

Then the humours of his search for talent! His auditions of aspiring aspirants, comic, pathetic, grotesque. Yet not all, for he made discoveries. He found his nucleus. Above all, he found Reg Stone. He raked author's material from the four corners of the First Army's memory, probably without fee or scruple. He rehearsed. And at last the first audience was seated for the first concert.

The huff of khaki so enjoyed bawling the overture of popular songs, that nobody minded a bit the late rise of the curtain. The concert was historic, and the laughter hysterical, especially where none was intended. Certainly more things went awry than at any first night in history. Leaned-on pillars oscillated. Furniture gave way, and memories, too. Unrehearsed effects abounded, and went best. But the triumph over misfortunes was due to the amazing female impersonation of Reg Stone and the resourceful drolleries of Hal Jones. The concert ended merrily, though critics were not wanting. But Lord Horne, and General Parker, saw through the crudities to the possibilities.

It is these beginnings that the film "Splinters" having its final showing to-day at the King's Theatre, first depicts, and then their developments. It shows how the critics set Hal Jones' teeth; how he strove and expanded the party; how they were called "Les Rouges et Noires"; how Lord Horne built them "The Bra Sat" Theatre; and how this experienced and equipped First Army Concert Party played "Splinters" in that theatre with a full beauty chorus, every lady a gentleman.

"STOLEN HEAVEN."

People who believe in taking their entertainment seriously, who know that an hour and a half of enjoyment of real memory-creating, discussion-evoking observation will find in "Stolen Heaven" Nancy Carroll, new dramatic sensation which opened at the Central Theatre yesterday, something really enjoyable, and at the same time, worth while, in talking picture pleasure.

PEKING REDS.

Raid on Sincere Co.'s Offices.

ASSISTANT ARRESTED.

Peking, Saturday. The Police raided the offices of the Sincere Company and arrested an assistant who is "alleged to be a Communist." They found a list of Communist members, hence wholesale arrests may follow. —Reuter.

time, worth while, in talking picture pleasure. "Stolen Heaven" brings the winsome star of "The Devil's Holiday" and "Laughter" forward in still other characterisation, as different from her two previous revealing portrayals as they were from each other.

Here, seen again with the handsome blond leading man of "The Devil's Holiday," Phillips Holmes, Miss Nancy Carroll plays the part of a discouraged and life-weary girl whose one good deed saves Holmes from the Police. Holmes, as sick as she is, proposes that they spend the proceeds of a robbery—he has committed in one last, gay fling at life, and then together, seek death. They plunge madly into a feverish melee of gambling, dancing, dining, playing. The money is soon exhausted, and nothing remains for Holmes but death. A millionaire playboy offers Nancy marriage. But Holmes and Nancy discovered their love for each other, and love adds a new meaning to life, makes it something worth fighting for.

George Abbott, the distinguished stage-screen director, has done nothing finer than "Stolen Heaven" in all his years of staging. The story moves with gripping intensity, the characters change perceptibly, as the plot develops, the sets are vivid and real. "Stolen Heaven" is an exciting picture, happily devoid of any forced "dramatics," yet rounded and filled with vibrant realism. It's pictures like "Stolen Heaven" that are making talking picture theatres a heaven for intelligent pleasure seekers.

"PLUNDER."

"Plunder" is the kind of real comedy that Britons like. In an advance view at the Central Theatre yesterday, we had plenty of laughter when the picture, which has such noted comedians as Ralph Lynn and Tom Walls, was presented. It is a treat to see Ralph Lynn acting the part of "Tuck," who, on trying to restore the inheritance to the girl he loves, conspires burglary, eventually non-plussed the woman who defrauded the girl and outwitted Scotland Yard. Though British in the make, the sound was recorded by the Western Electric Company, and the dialogue proved to be the clearest one we've ever heard of a talking picture in this Colony.

All through, the picture is purely British, free of slang that is difficult to understand, and is throughout laugh-provoking to the very extent without any nonsense. Minus the two famous leading men, the supporting cast, with such good players as Winifred Shotter, Mary Brough and Herbert Waring, is also worth watching.

"Plunder" is the next attraction at the Central Theatre.

"GENERAL CRACK"

Nicknames usually find their beginning in some physical eccentricity or as the result of some novel incident, but the name "General Crack," the title of John Barrymore's first all-talking Vitaphone starring vehicle to be seen on Sunday next at the Queen's Theatre, had an original source.

The Barrymore hero, as the rightful heir to a dukedom, bore the high-sounding name of Christian Rudolph Augustus Christopher Ketlar. The first letter of each name combined, spells "Crack." A military leader of signal ability, he is known throughout eighteenth century Europe as General Crack, the idol of soldiers and women and the fear of royalty.

Marian Nixon and Armida have the leading feminine roles in support of Barrymore in "General Crack" while Hobart Bosworth, Lowell Sherman, Jacqueline Logan, Otto Matteson, Andres de Seurlas, Douglas Gerrard, Philippe de Lacy, William von Brinken, Theodore Lodi and others have important parts.

An special issue of the Calgary Herald, entitled "Builders of Greater Calgary Number," furnishes some interesting data bearing upon the recent progress of the city. It points out that in 1884, when Calgary was incorporated as a town, it had a population of 500, which in 1926 had grown to 85,512, and now stands around 85,000. It notes that nearly 400 new homes were built in 1926, and a hundred more since the beginning of the year.

SHADOWS BEFORE

COMING EVENTS ANNOUNCED IN CHINA MAIL.

Entertainments.
To-day—King's Theatre;
"Splinters."
To-day—Queen's Theatre;
"City Lights."
To-day—Central Theatre;
"Stolen Heaven."
To-day—Majestic Theatre;
"Follow Thru."
To-day—World Theatre;
"On the Level."
To-day—Star Theatre;
"Sunny Side Up."

Home Malls.
To-day—Inward from Europe via Siberia (President Jackson).
To-morrow—Outward for Europe via Siberia (Heian Maru), 8.30 a.m.
Lammermoor Auctions.
To-day—At Sales Room, 4 Duddell Street, postage stamps, 5.15 p.m.
To-morrow—At Sennet Freres, York Building, jewellery, clocks etc., 10.30 a.m.

Meetings.
To-day—Club de Recreio, King's Park, 6 p.m.
Miscellaneous.
To-day—Dr. Magnus Hirschfeld on "Sex Education," Helena May Institute, 5.30 p.m.
To-morrow—Rotary Club tiffin.
Saturday—Opening of new Science Building and unveiling of memorial at St. Stephen's College, Stanley, 3 p.m.

Sports.
See Sports Diary on Page 8.

RADIO

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres.
5-7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.
7-10.30 p.m.—European Programme of H.M.V. and Victor Records kindly supplied by Messrs. S. Moutrie & Co.
7.03-7.45 p.m.—From the Studio—Pianoforte Recital by Pupils of Mrs. M. Sulter.

Programme.
1. Rondo from Sonata Op. 14 No. 1 (Beethoven), Miss Isabel Pestonji.
2. By the Mere (John Ireland), Sanal Ohta.
3. Gnomes No. 3 Op. 10 (Josef Holbrooke), Beatrice Pestonji.
4. Poppies (Alec Rowley), Lorna Toilan.
5. Kamennoi-Ostrov Op. No. 22 (A. Rubinstein), Fuki Inouye.
6. Liebestraum (F. Liszt), Clement Leong.
7. Nocturne in F Minor Op. 55 No. 3 (F. Chopin), Isabel Pestonji.
8 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

7.45-8.23 p.m.—Variety.
Orchestra—
Tommy's War Time Memories, Songs of the Officer's Mess, Jack Hylton & His Orchestra (C1888).

Dialogue—
Getting a Wife, Constance Collier & Ronald Squire (C1640).

Piano Solo—
She's Funny That Way, Wake Up and Dream—Medley, Carroll Gibbons (B3031).

Song—
That's the Reason No. 1 Wear a Kilt, Oh, How I Weary, Dearie, For You, Sir Harry Lauder, Baritone (D1403).

Humorous Song—
I Got a "Code" in My "Doze", Grace Fields (B3002).

8.23-8.50 p.m.—Band Selections.
The Sorcerer (Sullivan), Trial by Jury (Sullivan), The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards (C1435).

Tripoli—Symphonic March (D'Anna), Syncopation—Symphonic March (Creatore), Creator's Band (35759).

Selection of Little Smart's Songs (arr. Kuma), The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards (C1628).

8.50-9.11 p.m.—Hawaiian Music.
Kane's Blues, Hula Girl, Kane's Hawaiians (20701), Hawaiian Nights, Aloha, Hilo-Hawaiian Orchestra (21110).

Sparkling Waters of Waikiki, Blue Hawaii, Hilo-Hawaiian Orchestra (21955).

9.11-9.53 p.m.—A Concert.
Song—
My Little Nest of Heavenly Blue (Speth & Lehar), Twilight (Hamilton), Maria Joritz, Soprano (1234).

Violin Solo—
(a) The Maiden with Flaxen Hair (Debussy & Hartman), (b) Scherzo (Greig & Achron), Waltz (Debussy), Jascha Heifetz (6822).

Vocal Duo—
Nocturne (Chopin arr. Besty), Winnie Melville and Derek Oldham (C1690).

Piano Solo—
Pastorale: E. Capriccio (Scriabin), Benno Moisewitsch (E232).

Song—
The Gay Highway (Drummond), The Vagabond (Williams), Peter Dawson, Bass-Baritone (D2477).

Violin Solo—
By the Waters of Minniford (Ligature), Under the Leaves (Thomas), Renée Cheneat (1220).

9.53-10.10 p.m.—

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 1st July, All Departments will be CLOSED at 1 p.m. The Hong Kong Dispensary, Dispensing Department, will be OPENED for the purpose of dispensing prescriptions from 6 p.m. to 7.30 p.m.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.
Hong Kong, 29th June, 1931.

BANK HOLIDAYS.

IN Accordance with Government Ordinance, the EXCHANGE BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on WEDNESDAY, the 1st of July (First Week-Day in July).
Hong Kong, 27th June, 1931.

THE POPULAR BATHING RESORT.

Location—North Point, next to Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club. Opened for Use of the Public from June 29, 1931.

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Chicago Symphony Orchestra (7123).

10.28 p.m.—Close Down.

BOGUS BARRISTER.

"Sir A. Chamberlain is a Chum of Mine."

CONVICTED SIX TIMES.

A man who claimed that he had been an M.P. and who said he counted Sir Austen Chamberlain and Mr. Neville Chamberlain as "chums" was sent to prison for 12 months at Southend in mail week for obtaining £5 by false pretences. He was Harry Mitchell, aged 73, of Royal Crescent, Holland Park, London, W.

It was alleged that by posing as a barrister-at-law he induced Mr. William Court and Mr. Henry Carlington, two Westcliff business men, to part with £2 10s. each by offering to conduct arbitration proceedings on their behalf.

During the case Mitchell broke his spectacles, and the chairman of the Bench, Sir John Francis, lent him a pair.

"When I was 23," said Mitchell, "my income was £15,000 a year. I was declared at that time to be the greatest arbitrator and assessor in all England."

"In 1837 and for the next six years I represented East Toxteth in Parliament as a Conservative."

"I Charge The Police."

Shaking his fist dramatically at the superintendent in charge of the court, Mitchell went on: "I solemnly charge the police of Southend with the judicial murder of my wife. But for the blows and kicks which they gave her as a result of my prosecution she would have been alive to-day."

"I shall claim heavy compensation from the police."

Mitchell, it was stated, had been convicted six times since 1923 for false pretences.

Mr. Edward Alfred Godston, secretary of the General Council of the Bar said Mitchell was not a barrister.

After being sentenced Mitchell said he would appeal.

East Toxteth was represented from 1835 until 1895 by Baron H. de Worms. A work of reference covering the period does not include the name of Harry Mitchell as a Parliamentary candidate.



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CURRENT SPORTING GOSSIP

JIRO SATOH ENTERS LAST EIGHT.

Betty Nuthall Beats
Mrs. Harper.

HISTORY REPEATS ITSELF.

London, Saturday.
The following were the results as cabled by Reuter of the sixth day's play in the All-England Championships at Wimbledon:—

Men's Singles.

Jiro Satoh (Japan) beat H. G. N. Lee (Britain) 8-6, 6-4, 6-3.
H. W. Austin (Britain) beat I. G. Collins (Britain) 6-3, 6-3, 6-4.
J. Borotra (France) beat Artens (Austria) 6-4, 6-3, 6-3.

Ladies' Singles.

Helen Jacobs (U.S.A.) beat Mrs. Godfree (Britain) 6-2, 6-1.
Betty Nuthall (Britain) beat Mrs. Harper (U.S.A.) 6-4, 6-2.
Miss Scriven (Britain) beat Joan Ridley (Britain) 6-1, 6-4.
Mme. Mathieu (France) beat Mrs. Van Ryn (U.S.A.) 6-4, 6-4.

SUNNY WEATHER AND SOFT COURTS.

Recreio Leaders in Two Divisions.

LEAGUE RESULTS.

In glorious weather the Hong Kong Lawn Tennis League fixture list was continued on Saturday, ten games being completed. Owing to the previous rains several of the grounds were declared unfit for play and the matches were postponed. Below are appended the full results of the matches played during the week-end.

"A" Division.

H.K.C.C.	5 1/2	S.C.A.A.	3 1/2
P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts.			
H.K.C.C.	4	2	1
Indian R.C.	2	2	0
Kowloon C.C.	3	2	0
Chinese R.C.	2	0	1
M.B.K.	1	0	0
S.C.A.A.	2	0	2

"B" Division.			
Recreio	7	S.C.A.A.	2
C.S.C.C.	2	C.R.C.	7
K.C.C.	6	Nippon Club	3
I.R.C.	5	University	4

P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts.			
Recreio	6	0	0
Indian R.C.	5	4	1
University	3	4	0
H.K.C.C.	3	2	0
Kowloon C.C.	5	2	0
C.S.C.C.	5	2	0
Chinese R.C.	1	1	0
U.S.R.C.	1	1	0
C.C.C.	3	0	1
S.C.A.A.	4	1	0
M.B.K.	2	0	0
Army T.C.	3	0	0
Nippon C.	3	0	0

"C" Division.

Y.M.C.A.	6 1/2	Army T.C.	2 1/2
Recreio	7	University	2
H.K.C.C.	6	K.I.T.C.	3
L.R.C.	6 1/2	Civil Service	2 1/2
S.C.A.A.	3	C.C.C.	1

P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts.			
Recreio	5	4	1
S.C.A.A.	4	4	0
Indian R.C.	4	4	0
Chinese R.C.	3	1	0
University	3	0	2
Y.M.C.A.	3	0	2
Army T.C.	3	0	2
Kowloon C.C.	3	0	2
H.K.C.C.	3	0	2
Radio S.C.	3	0	2
C.S.C.C.	3	0	2
K.I.T.C.	3	0	2
Graduates A.	1	0	1
Deutscher C.	3	0	2
C.C.C.	3	0	2

Postponed Games.

The following matches were postponed owing to the state of the ground:—

A Division.			
Kowloon C.C.	vs	M.B.K.	
Chinese R.C.	vs	Indian R.C.	
B Division.			
Chinese R.C.	vs	Indian R.C.	
C Division.			
Chinese R.C.	vs	Indian R.C.	

TOURISTS' ATTACK DEADLY.

WOOLLEY DEFIANT.

Peebles Captures His Hundredth.

INTERESTING SITUATION.

London, Saturday.

At the conclusion of the first day's play in the Test match between England and New Zealand at Lord's the Home Country are 34 runs in arrears with three wickets in hand.

After scoring 130 for the loss of two wickets the New Zealanders collapsed sensationally before the bowling of Peebles and Robins, two youthful amateurs, and lost their remaining eight wickets for 94 runs. At one period of the game the visitors lost four wickets for 31 runs. When Hammond caught Allcott in the slips he gave Peebles his hundredth wicket of the season.

With such a low total against them from a powerful batting side England opened disastrously, Arnold and Bakewell being sent back to the pavilion for only 14 runs. Only partnerships of 67 for the fifth wicket and 59 for the sixth wicket saved England from total collapse against the bowling of Crompton and Merritt.

Morally bowled when 40, Frank Woolley compiled 80 after scoring the half century in an hour. He scored his runs out of a total of 126 scored whilst he was at the crease.

NEW ZEALAND—First Innings.

C. S. Dempster, l.b.w.	53
Peebles	34
J. E. Mills, b. Peebles	34
G. L. Weir, l.b.w., b. Peebles	37
J. L. Kerr, st. Ames, b. Robins	2
R. C. Blunt, c. Hammond, b. Robins	7
M. L. Page, b. Allen	23
T. C. Lowry, c. Hammond, b. Robins	1
I. B. Crompton, c. Ames, b. Peebles	20
C. F. W. Allcott, c. Hammond, b. Peebles	13
W. E. Merritt, c. Jardine, b. Hammond	17
W. James, not out	1
Extras	16
Total	224

Fall of the wickets:—1 for 58; 2 for 130; 3 for 136; 4 for 140; 5 for 152; 6 for 161; 7 for 190; 8 for 191; 9 for 209; 10 for 224.

Bowling Analysis.

Voce	O.	M.	R.	W.
Allen	10	1	40	0
Hammond	15	2	45	1
Peebles	28	3	77	5
Robins	13	3	33	3

ENGLAND—First Innings.

Arnold, c. Page, b. Crompton	0
Bakewell, l.b.w., b. Crompton	9
Hammond, b. Crompton	7
K. S. Dulleepsinhji, c. Kerr, b. Merritt	25
D. R. Jardine, c. Blunt, b. Merritt	38
Woolley, l.b.w., b. Merritt	80
Ames, not out	15
I. A. R. Peebles, st. James, b. Merritt	0
Extras	16
Total (for 7 wks.)	190

Fall of the wickets:—1 for 5; 2 for 14; 3 for 31; 4 for 62; 5 for 129; 6 for 188.

OFFICIAL OPENING OF BASEBALL.

Champions and H.K. B.C. Victorious.

WEEK-END RESULTS.

On Saturday the Japanese baseball team, the 1930 champions, defeated the South China Athletic Association by one run to nil in the opening game of the Hong Kong Baseball League season. A day later ground was changed the official opening of the Hong Kong Baseball League season. The Japanese team defeated the South China Athletic Association by one run to nil in the opening game of the Hong Kong Baseball League season. The Japanese team defeated the South China Athletic Association by one run to nil in the opening game of the Hong Kong Baseball League season.

KOWLOON OPEN FOURSOMES.

Back-Markers Prove Successful.

FINAL RESULT.

In the final of the Open Four-some Tournament played over 36 holes at Kowloon Golf Course yesterday, J. D. Thomson and D. C. Wilson (6) defeated W. S. Hillier and H. Mundy (17) by 3 and 2.

At the end of the first nine holes Hillier and Mundy were 1 up, the match standing all square at the 18th. Thomson and Wilson became two up at the 27th and increased their lead to four holes at the 31st, the 32nd was halved, which placed them dormie four. Hillier and Mundy won the next hole to keep the match going, but a half at the 34th gave Thomson and Wilson the game by 3 and 2.

SOUTH CHINA PROVE TOO FORMIDABLE.

Score Fourteen Goals in Two Games.

INSIDE RIGHT'S FIVE.

Two further victories were recorded by the South China touring eleven in Java during the week-end.

On Saturday playing against a selected eleven at Semarang before a crowd of 10,000 Lee Wai-tong opened the scoring. Chu Kwok-luen, the inside right, quickly added three goals and further points were scored by the other three forwards, Fung King-cheung (two), Ip Pak-wah (one) and Cheung Shu-hong (one). South China thus won decisively by eight goals to nil.

On Sunday against Djoeja the tourists ran out winners by six goals to two, the goal-scorers being: Chu Kwok-luen (two), Ip Pak-wah (two) and Tam Kwong-pak and Wong Ki-leung one each.

Our Sports Diary.

LOCAL.

FENCING—To-day—H.K. Fencing Club Meet at 5.15 p.m.
MEETING—To-day—Club do Recreio annual meeting at 8 p.m.
WATER POLO—To-day—Division I—Chinese Bathing Club v. Borderers, 6 p.m.; Division II—Chinese Athletic v. Royal Signals, 6.30 p.m.
Wednesday—Division I—N.R.C. v. Borderers, 6 p.m.; Division II—V.R.C. "A" v. Chinese Athletic, 12th Heavy Battery, R.A. v. 31st Heavy Battery, R.A., 6.30 p.m.
Friday—Division I—Royal Navy v. Chinese Athletic, 6 p.m.; Division II—12th Heavy Battery, R.A. v. V.R.C. "B", Kowloon "A", v. Kowloon "B", 6.30 p.m.
LAWN TENNIS—Wednesday—"B" Division—C.C.C. v. Recreio; C.S.C.C. v. I.R.C.; Army T.C. v. K.C.C.; University v. M.B.K.; H.K.C.C. v. Nippon Club; C.R.C. v. United Services; "C" Division—R.C.C. v. Y.M.C.A.; I.R.C. v. C.C.C.; Kowloon Indians v. C.R.C.; South China v. Recreio; Mixed Doubles—Ladies: R.C.C. v. Chinese R.C.; Indian R.C. v. Kowloon C.C.

HOME.

CRICKET—To-day and To-morrow—England v. New Zealand (Test Match).
Surrey v. Cambridge U.
H. D. G. Leveson-Gower's XI v. Oxford U.
Hampshire v. Sussex.
Essex v. Glamorgan.
Warwick v. Lancashire.
Northants v. Somerset.
Notts v. Middlesex.
Derby v. Worcester.
Leicester v. Gloucester.
Wednesday, Thursday and Friday—M.C.C. v. Oxford University.
Mr. H. D. G. Leveson-Gower's XI v. Cambridge University.
Essex v. Kent.
Gloucestershire v. Lancashire.
Yorkshire v. Somerset.
Glamorgan v. Sussex.
Hampshire v. Northamptonshire.
Derbyshire v. Surrey.
Warwickshire v. Middlesex.
LAWN TENNIS—To-day to Saturday—All-England Championships at Wimbledon.
SHOOTING—To-day to Saturday—Army Meeting at Bisley.
ROWING—Wednesday—Henley Regatta.
GOLF—Thursday—American Open Championship at Toledo.
ATHLETICS—Friday—Saturday A.A.A. Championships at Glasgow.
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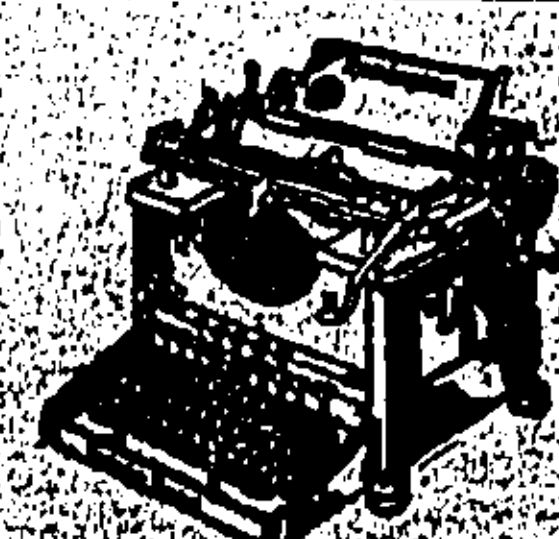
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of about Rs. 112,000.

The erection of the station was
sanctioned by the Government of
India and the work began over a
year ago. The contractor requisitioned
jail labour, and prisoners with
the requisite experience were
brought in from all over the Province
and located in a camp, jail
under the control of a jailer. The
chief jailer and the Superintendent
of the Bassein Central Jail
supervised the camp.

A tube-well has been bored and
the place has been connected with
Bassein Town and the wireless
aviation station by telephone.
The Burma Oil Company, it is
understood, will install a petrol
tank over there for the convenience
of aerial travellers. The landing
is very close to the Railway
Station at Myetto on the Bassein-
Henzade line. It will be used as a
landing base by air-craft only if
emergencies arise. It will not be a
regular calling station on the
route. The landing of aeroplanes
at this station will depend upon
state of visibility over the Arakan
Yomas.

As a necessary adjunct to and
complement of the aeroplane land-
ing station, a wireless aviation
station has been constructed near
the Kanthozine Lakes, Bassein, at
an approximate cost of Rs. 90,000,
including buildings and wireless
equipment.

The station buildings consist of
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room and servants' and durwan's
quarters.

The station is equipped with a
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in an emergency. It is being
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SILENCE OF "BOW BELLS."

Funds For Repair Not
Forthcoming.

What is the reason of the ap-
parent apathy of the general public
towards the future of the world-
famous "Bow Bells" and the church
that houses them?
Five years and a half ago the
bells of St. Mary-le-Bow were
silenced for the first time since the
Great Fire of London in 1666. It
had been discovered that three of
the twelve bells were cracked, and
that the steeple that held them was
suffering from the effects of the
disastrous Silvertown explosion of
1917.

It was decided that a sum of
£15,000 was needed to repair the
church, and afterwards it was found
necessary to launch an appeal fund.
The City Corporation voted 1,000
guineas; the Grocers' Company ad-
vanced a further 500 guineas; yet the
general public, especially the true
"Cockney" to whom the appeal was
directed, has so far only played a
minor part in bringing the whole
amount subscribed to the meagre
total of £2,300—in three years.

St. Mary-le-Bow, Cheapside, is
famous all over the world; no mem-
ber of the famous race of Cockneys
is born beyond the sound of its
bells. Yet the churchwardens can-
not raise the sum of £15,000 to save
the church from ruin and to set the
bells ringing once more.
The annual income of the church
was originally £3,000; now it has
been reduced to £250. Accordingly
the future of St. Mary-le-Bow de-
pends absolutely on the fund-

AN ANGLO-CATHOLIC
SOCIETY RULE.

Members Give Incomes
But Not Capital.

RIGHT OF A SISTER.

In the Chancery Division recently
Mr. Justice Farwell had before him
a dispute concerning the right of a
sister in an Anglo-Catholic religious
order to share in a testator's
residuary estate. It was argued
that under a clause in the will she
was debarred.

The plaintiffs were Mr. Andrew
Agnew Bell and Mr. Ernest
Frederick Agnew, the trustees under
the will of the late Mr. George
Frederick Bell, and the principal
defendant was Marion Agnew, a
sister in the Society of St. Mar-
garet, at East Grinstead (Sussex),
who claimed to be entitled to one
seventh of the residuary estate. Six
other relatives claimed the residue,
to the exclusion of Marion Agnew.

Mr. Bell made bequests to the
children of his late uncle, living at
the date of the testator's death.
There was a proviso that if any
such child had joined a religious
body to which he was under a
"religious obligation" to give up his
property, and failed to renounce
such religious body within six
months of the testator's death, that
child should be deemed to have died
within the testator's lifetime, and
forfeit his share of the residue.

It was argued on behalf of Marion
Agnew that the clause was too
vague.

For the other relatives it was
submitted that Marion Agnew had,
by the vows she had taken, been
deprived of the control of her prop-
erty, and that she was under the
"religious obligation" contemplated
by the will.

Mr. Justice Farwell, giving judg-
ment, observed that in the society's
rules it was provided that any
capital owned by a sister was to
remain in her hands, and she had
the right to dispose of it. She
must, however, give up the income
to the society.

He could not find that Marion
Agnew had done anything which
prevented her taking the share of
the estate to which she would other-
wise be entitled under the will, and
he found in her favour.

"RIPPER" TRIAL.

Prosecution Costs Only
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MEAGRE FEES.

The prosecution of Peter Kuer-
ten, the Düsseldorf mass murderer,
is stated to have cost not more
than £750. This sum includes the
cost of the judicial inquiry which
lasted several months, fees to
mental specialists and witnesses,
and the construction of the tem-
porary court in which Kuersten was
tried.

The fees paid to the specialists
appear to have been meagre by
British standards. One specialist
only received £2 for furnishing
report consisting of 400 pages of
typewritten matter.
The cost to the ratepayer of the
County of Northamptonshire in
connection with the trial of Rouse,
who was convicted of the murder
of an unknown man in what was
described as "the blazing car case,"
was between £1,500 and £2,000.

German Rouse Guiltless.
Tetzner, the German Rouse, has
been acquitted at Regensburg.
He went quietly to the block, very
pale, but otherwise betrayed no
agitation. He had passed the pre-
vious night in the company of a
priest at his own request.
The executioner, a hairdresser by
profession, was dressed in an im-
maculate frockcoat and white tie.
He had two assistants.

RUBBER FLOORS.

Hotel on Site of Lord
Bute's Old Home.

Noisless yet central is the just
claim of the Eccleston Hotel, in
Eccleston Square, two minutes
away from Victoria Station
and London.

The floors throughout are of rub-
ber, and its proprietor, Sir James
Monteith Erskine, said that it was
the only hotel in the world to be
equipped in this manner.

The Eccleston is built on the site
of the Margulis of Bute's London
home, and overlooks very pleasant
gardens. Considerable extensions
were found necessary, and when
these were made, the hotel was
thoroughly transformed. All bad
rooms have hot and cold water and
telephone, and most of them their
own bath.
Although the service and the
management are on thoroughly
modern lines, the prices are
moderate.

SLATE QUARRY
ARTISTS.

3,000 Miles Journey to
Make a Roof.

LEEDS TO BERMUDA.

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craft have gone from Leeds to
Bermuda, 3,000 miles away, to as-
sist in the construction of a new
£500,000 luxury hotel that is being
built on the island by a British
firm.

They are slaters and they are to
prepare for use the 120 tons of
slate specially sent from Westmor-
land.

British Slaters Best.

British slate is the best in the
world and British slaters the
cleverest workmen. The home in-
dustry in North Wales, Scotland
and Westmorland, in common with
many other industries, has been
severely hit in recent years by the
dumping of supplies from abroad,
and many once prosperous quar-
ries have been closed.

As early as the fifteenth century
the adaptability of slate for roofing
purposes had been discovered by
the North Welsh peasants who, in
quarrying the slopes of the moun-
tains for stone to build their cot-
tages, found that slate, by its
smoothness, flatness and perfect
cleavage into light, thin slices, was
the ideal material for roofing.

Good slate roofs last for hun-
dreds of years especially if they
are laid by experts.
Slaters are craftsmen whose art
is often handed down from one
generation to another. The split-
ting and shaping of the blocks,
when done by hand, requires two
men who perform their work in a
sitting posture.

Splitting The Block.

The splitter places a block on
end between his knees and with
chisel and mallet deftly splits it
into as many plates as possible of
the usual thickness for roofing pur-
poses. The plates are then placed
horizontally by the dresser in a
vertical iron stand and cut with a
sharp knife into slates suitable for
the market.
There are thirty or more recog-
nised sizes, each distinguished by a
different name.
In common practice, those
generally used are "large ladies,"
16ins. by 8ins., "countesses," 20ins.
by 10ins., and "duchesses," 24ins.
by 12ins. It is possible, therefore,
to have more tiles on one's roof
than there are in Burke's Peerage.
The nails used in slating are an
important item, and the durability
of the work largely depends on
them. Most satisfactory are those
made of a composition of copper
and zinc.

RIGHT OF APPEAL.

Difficulties in Way of
Removing Grievance.

BILL IN THE COMMONS.

The second reading of the Sum-
mary Jurisdiction (Appeals) Bill—
the object of which is to enable
poor people to prosecute appeals
against convictions—was agreed to
in the Commons.

Sir John Withers said it was pro-
posed that a poor person should not
be prevented from appealing simply
because he had not got the money
to give security for the costs.

Sir W. Greaves, supporting the
Bill mentioned a case in which a
poor man of good character who
befriended a cat and, when the cat
became a little obnoxious, turned it
out. A certain society prosecuted
him, and he was sentenced to 14
days' imprisonment without the
option of a fine.

It so happened that he was a Jew,
and the Jewish race kept very care-
ful watch over their poor. Some
wealthy Jews provided the money
for an appeal, and the appeal was
successful. Many cases in which
these injuries occurred could be
found, and it was time that a
remedy was found for a crying
grievance.

Mr. Short, (Parliamentary Under-
Secretary, Home Office), replying
to the debate, said he had a great
deal of sympathy with the purpose
of the measure.

This matter he had consulted about
the official, also had plenty of
sympathy with the object of the
Bill, and recognised that there was
a grievance which ought to be re-
medied, but it was an intricate and
complicated problem. Many of the
existing grievances were not covered
by the Bill.

Reference had been made to the
question of frivolous appeals. In
1928 22,000 persons were sentenced
to imprisonment without the option
of a fine. These figures showed the
nature of the problem involved.
If they were to have a free right
of appeal without safeguards there
would be an overwhelming number
of cases, and the administration of
the law would be seriously handi-
capped.
The Bill was read a second time
without a division.

ANOTHER CRIME
PASSIONEL.

French Jury's Verdict of
"Not Guilty."

FIANCEE KILLED.

A characteristic murder verdict
was given at the Paris Assizes re-
cently. A young man had killed
his fiancée on finding out about her
past. He was acquitted.

The case is an admirable exam-
ple of what has been called "licen-
sed assassination."
A young engineer called Andre
Bourdin became the lover of a
young girl, Mlle. Aubin, whom he
was anxious to marry.

A short time before the engage-
ment was to become official he dis-
covered a letter in his fiancée's
room which disclosed that she was
having intimate relations with a
wealthy older man. A scene
ensued as the result of which Bour-
din left, declaring his intention of
committing suicide. He was dis-
suaded, however, from this by the
girl's brother and decided instead
to go and see his rival. The latter
advised him to be sensible and not
to "take women too tragically."

Ignoring this counsel, Bourdin
returned to his fiancée and re-
proached her. Exasperated by her
behaviour the girl first admitted
that she was not what he thought
she was and then went on to men-
tion that only the day before she
had given herself to a man for
1,000 francs. On hearing this
Bourdin produced a revolver and
shot her.

Bourdin's explanation, which
was heard at the trial, was that he
had acted in a moment of blind
despair, meaning to take his own
life afterwards.

Bourdin's counsel, Maître de
Horo-Giniferi, took full advantage
of this plea, which seldom fails to
move a French jury.
Employing all the arts of thea-
trical oratory, the counsel held the
court under the domination of his
voice and gestures for over two
hours, and, after representing in
hyperbatic terms the agony of
disillusionment and painting the
victim and her family in the
blackest colours, he culminated
with the words "if she (the
victim) could speak I swear that
she would ask for your pity."

The jury were absent for half an
hour, at the end of which they re-
turned a verdict of "not guilty."

S.S. PRINCESS ELIZABETH.

Royal Names For Giant
Liners.

It is understood that the two
giant Cunarders will be named Prin-
cess Elizabeth and Princess Mar-
garet Rose, after the two daughters
of the Duke and Duchess of York.
The 73,000-ton liner which is
now in an advanced state of con-
struction in the yards of John
Brown and Co. on the Clyde, will be
christened Princess Elizabeth.

It is possible that the King will
perform the launching ceremony
next Spring.

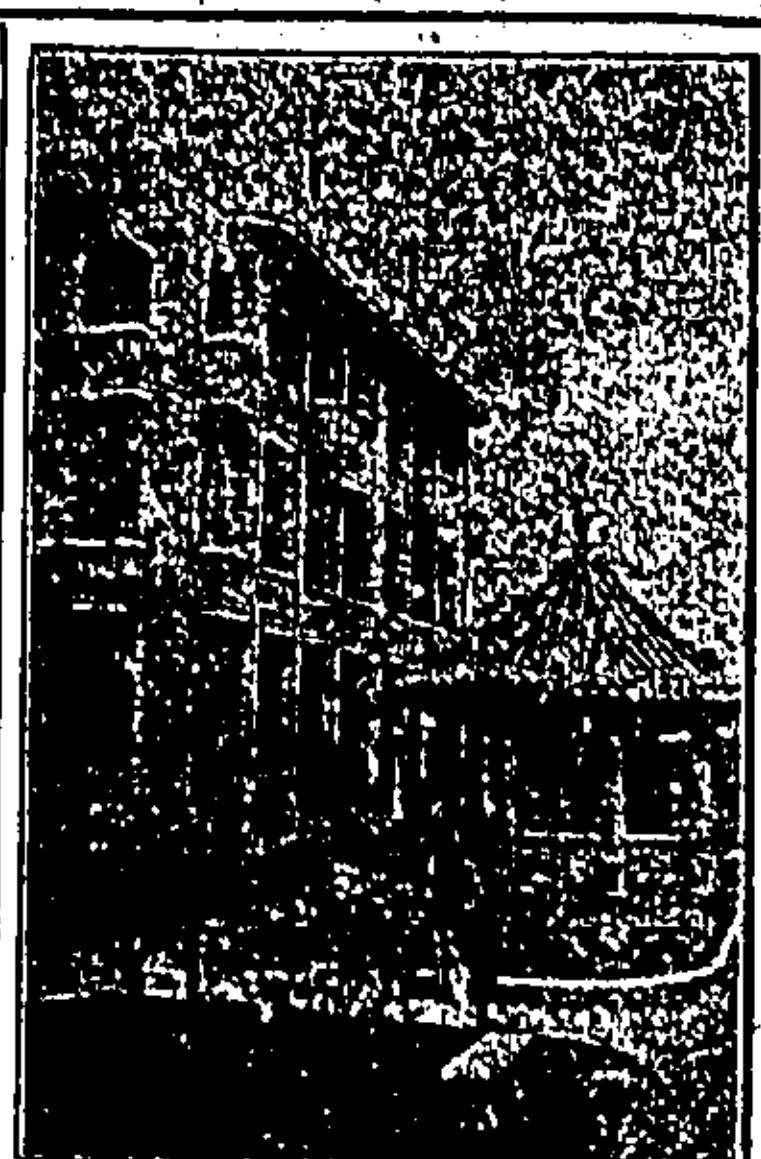
The introduction of two "prin-
cess ships" will end a tradition that
began with the formation of the
Cunard Line more than ninety
years ago. All of their vessels
have been christened with names
ending in "in." Many names have
been suggested for the two new
super-liners, and officials of the com-
pany have been considering the prob-
lem ever since construction began.
The first vessels is one of the few
ships ever built in Britain
which was nameless when the keel
was laid. She is known simply as
"Number 594 Cunard."

DEAF JUROR AND A RETRIAL.

A jury were considering their
verdict in a case at London
Sessions when the foreman informed
the deputy chairman, Sir Her-
bert Wilberforce, that one of the
jurymen was deaf and had not
heard the evidence.

Sir Herbert discharged the jury
from giving a verdict, remarking
that it was unfortunate that the
fact had not been mentioned be-
fore. The Court then proceeded to
retry the case with a new jurymen
in the place of the one who was
deaf.

An experimental shipment of
finished beef cattle by farmers in
the Melfort district of Saskatche-
wan, who took advantage of the
Provincial Government's stocker-
feeder policy of last Autumn, is en
route to the British market. If
results justify expectations other
shipments will follow. Four car-
loads of steers, comprising between
forty and fifty head, constitute the
shipment. The cattle, which were
inspected, sorted and weighed at
Winnipeg, were embarked with a
consignment of Alberta cattle as-
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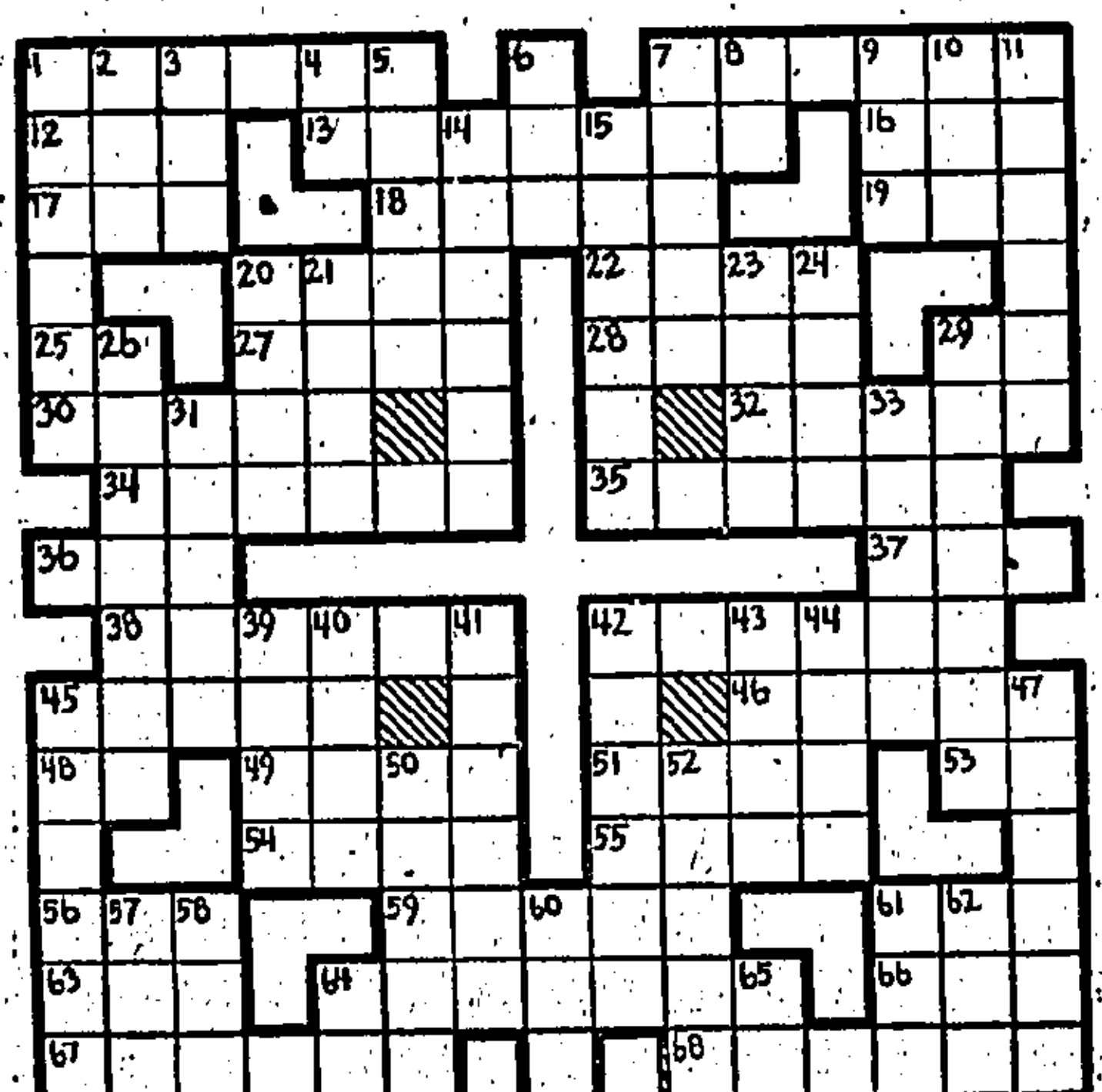
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DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

(This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but
our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic
spellings, such as harbor, plow, and altho.)



- HORIZONTAL**
1—An artistic dance
7—A battle or rallying cry
10—Before
12—Spoken on the corner
16—W. State of U. S. (abbr.)
17—A golf mound
18—Indomitable
19—Milk (Latv.)
20—Panted
22—Roman god of war
23—Printer's measure
27—Girl's name
28—Paradise
29—Exit
30—Swift
32—Parting to the nose
34—Nullify
35—A memento
36—Agent (abbr.)
37—Age
38—An ambassador
40—Invincible
42—To earn a right to a reward
43—A small candle
44—Fruitful
45—Exercise the right of suffrage
47—Mineral spring (pl.)
48—Toward
- HORIZONTAL (Cont.)**
49—A high Turkish official
50—Severed violently
51—Knock
52—Depression of the spirits
61—Attorney (abbr.)
62—Unit
63—Climbing plant
65—Fish eggs
67—Character
68—Searcher
- VERTICAL**
1—Convalescent
2—Metric land measure
3—The sheltered side
4—Half an acre
5—Dogma
6—A young dog
7—A dish of green herbs served with dressing
8—The (Fr.)
9—A liquid measure
10—A constellation
11—A hard silver-white metal
12—Be wary of
13—Mourning
14—A two-headed vessel
- VERTICAL (Cont.)**
21—Wife of Tyndareus (Gr. Myth.)
22—A town in Nevada
23—To break suddenly
24—Mutilated
25—A dagger-like weapon attached to a gun
31—Boy's name
32—A ruminant
33—Donate
40—A very small part
41—Famous female swimmer of U. S.
42—To remove the stopper from
43—Heavenly body
44—Comfort
45—A married woman
46—A division in N. E. Abyssinia
47—A bushy, many-jointed fruit with a rope (pl.)
48—Curious scraps of literature
49—Futile
50—Over (post.)
51—Noah's ship
52—Part of foot
53—Cruelty (abbr.)
54—Musical note

FIGHTING DISEASE IN THE EAST.

Singapore International Clearing House.

LEAGUE ACTIVITIES.

"In these days of rapid transit it will be readily understood that the health of the people of one country is to a certain extent dependent on the health of the people of other countries with whom there is communication by air, land and sea."

The above statement was made by Dr. C. L. Park of the League of Nations Far Eastern Health Bureau, in a lecture he delivered at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Rotary Club of Singapore.

The mandate of the Health Organisation contained in Article 23 of the Covenant, said Dr. Park, provided that members of the League shall "take steps in matters of international concern for the prevention and control of disease." He proposed to confine his remarks to one section of the League's health work, namely, the Medical Intelligence Section.

At their first meeting the Health Committee of the League considered the question of organising a more rapid interchange of information regarding the health of countries, and especially regarding infectious and epidemic diseases.

The speaker continued: This led to the establishment at Geneva of a Service of Epidemiological Intelligence and Public Health Statistics, which receives current official reports on the prevalence of notifiable communicable disease from practically all countries where such information is available. This is published and distributed to all health administrations weekly, or in case of epidemics, daily. Monthly and annual reports are also prepared and distributed giving confirmatory reports and detailed information of the position of the World in regard to the more important communicable diseases.

Plague in the East.

Countries in the East have been for years, not only the homes of epidemic diseases, but what is very important, also the centres for distribution; for example, the epidemic of Plague that has caused millions of deaths was probably conveyed by shipping from Hong Kong. Consequently, it is not to be wondered at that in the early days of the existence of the League's health organisation it was decided to collect information regarding the prevalence of diseases, especially those of international importance, in the largest ports of the East, and to consider the measures taken to prevent their exportation.

It was soon manifest that the appearance and prevalence of such diseases was not being communicated to the countries most concerned quickly enough to allow measures of defence to be taken against their introduction.

If health administrations know that particular ports or countries are afflicted by epidemic disease and the merchandise and people are constantly arriving from these places, they can take definite measures both in respect of their own population, and of the ships, goods and people who arrive, to prevent the danger to themselves. In the case of plague, for example, they can, as rats are the medium of transmission, carry out routine measures for the destruction of the rodents in their own ports. They can, further, take such precautionary measures in regard to arriving vessels as are deemed necessary to prevent rats being conveyed ashore.

In some ports for example, every vessel coming from a plague-infected port is submitted to fumigation measures designed to kill rats before being allowed to unload their cargo, also arrangements could be made between countries by which infected ports took measures to prevent rats being conveyed on board during cargo loading operations.

Singapore Clearing House. The need was to obtain and circulate early and accurate information, and this obviously entailed the establishment of an international clearing house for information regarding disease in the East.

Under his guidance the Bureau was established with the following aim, viz., to bring into touch with one another all the Health Administrations over a wide area stretching from Vladivostok to Port Said on the one hand, and from South Africa and the East Coast of Africa to the Panama Canal including the whole Austral-Pacific Zone on the other hand. Naturally it took some little time to arrange with all the administrations concerned for the desired information to be centralized; but to-day regular communications are being received from 51 administrations which include 147 ports.

Should it happen that plague, cholera or smallpox occur in any of these ports which has been free from them for a period of three weeks or more, the Bureau is immediately notified by cable, and this information is followed by regular weekly cables so long as the outbreak lasts. Supplementary information is forwarded each week by post so that the Bureau knows, not only that the disease exists, but also its source, extent and progress as well as the measures taken to control it. A special code has been devised to maintain the confidential nature of the information forwarded and also to save expense in cabling.

In addition to this notification of first cases countries where disease persists cable each week the number of cases and deaths from plague (including infected rats), cholera, smallpox, yellow fever, typhus, or cerebro-spinal meningitis, which have occurred in the week ending on the previous Saturday at midnight.

The Bureau is also informed by post of the general condition of the public health of the countries in the Eastern zone, of the prevalence of other infectious and general diseases; of any quarantine restrictions placed on arrivals of infected ports and generally of any happening of public health importance.

Broadcasting The Information. The action taken by the Bureau in regard to information received varies as follows:—

Notifications of first cases in a port are cabled immediately to the administrations of ports in regular communication with the infected one. Geneva is advised and immediately informs Paris in accordance with international obligations. A broadcast message is transmitted from Malabar in clear for the benefit of ships masters and medical officers and this is repeated daily for seven days. Experience has shown that these messages can be picked up from Japan to the Red Sea.

Cabled notifications of the weekly number of cases of diseases in ports are broadcast in code every Friday from Saigon. This broadcast is picked up and retransmitted by Malabar and Tananarive and Nauen every Saturday. 17 countries pick up the Saigon message, 12 that from Tananarive and 6 that from Malabar. To those administrations that are unable to pick up the broadcast, cables are despatched every Thursday. They number 9 only.

A summary of the code broadcast is transmitted in clear from Malabar and repeated daily for the ensuing week. This broadcast is picked up by Hong Kong and Tokyo, and retransmitted on Fridays and by Karachi, Madras, Sandakan and Shanghai and re-transmitted each Saturday.

In addition to these cables and broadcasts, a printed summary is prepared each Friday and despatched (about 500 copies) to all health administrations, ports and other interested people in the Eastern arena.

Infected Vessels. Another important function is the transmission of information regarding infected vessels. Should a vessel arrive with disease on board at any important port in this area, the Bureau is immediately notified and transmits the information to the next port of call.

A service of the kind described could only be carried out by an international body such as the League, and with the passing of time the Bureau's activities have become more and more extensive, until now there is not an important port in the East which does not communicate regularly with the Bureau, and through it with every other port in this wide area.

The value of the work lies in the fact that countries can depend upon having almost immediately place regarding matters seen, and particulars of the occurrence and development of disease in the East, held where all the principal features of port health practice and can apply routine and emergency measures to protect themselves against invasion. In the value of this system is very great. The contact with men who are engaged in the same work has been a stimulating effect, but there is another side which has been very much expressed by Sir A. Houston. It has undertaken the task of coordinating the work which various National Administrations are carrying out in the realms of medical research.

There is also another phase of the work that produces close co-operation between health administrations, viz., Interchanges of Health personnel. The Bureau last year carried out an interchange of Port Health Officers in Eastern Ports.

This meant inviting Health Authorities to choose an official who would study port health administration and procedure in company with officials from other countries. In a number of important ports of foreign countries. The group comprised participants from Siam, Straits Settlements, French Indo-China, Netherlands East Indies, China, and Japan, under the leadership of a League official. Studies were made in Singapore, Batavia, Saigon, Hong Kong, Canton, Manila, Shanghai, Kobe, and Yokohama.

During the four discussions took place regarding matters seen, and particulars of the occurrence and development of disease in the East, held where all the principal features of port health practice and can apply routine and emergency measures to protect themselves against invasion. In the value of this system is very great. The contact with men who are engaged in the same work has been a stimulating effect, but there is another side which has been very much expressed by Sir A. Houston. It has undertaken the task of coordinating the work which various National Administrations are carrying out in the realms of medical research.

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Eels, Conger	魚	lb.	42	10
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Herrings	魚	lb.	34	13
Halibut	魚	lb.	38	18
Labrus	魚	lb.	72	32
Loach	魚	lb.	60	62
Lobsters	魚	lb.	38	32
Mackerel	魚	lb.	42	20
Monk Fish	魚	lb.	40	13
Mullet	魚	lb.	35	12
Oysters	魚	lb.	28	14
Parrot Fish	魚	lb.	27	30
Perch	魚	lb.	44	16
Pike	魚	lb.	44	36
Plaice	魚	lb.	50	36
Pomfret, White	魚	lb.	38	36
Pomfret, Black	魚	lb.	70	10
Prawns	魚	lb.	26	10
Ray	魚	lb.	28	18
Rock Fish	魚	lb.	32	12
Roach	魚	lb.	60	86
Salmon	魚	lb.	22	8
Shark	魚	lb.	22	10
Skate	魚	lb.	54	38
Shrimps	魚	lb.	45	28
Sole	魚	lb.	38	22
Tench	魚	lb.	38	26
Turbot	魚	lb.	38	12
Turtles, small, fr. water	魚	lb.	1.20	40

		June 18, June, June,		
		1931.	1918.	1914.
		Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Poultry.				
Chicken	雞	lb.	60	30
Capons, Small	雞	lb.	60	28
Capons, Large	雞	lb.	66	28
Duck	鴨	lb.	45	22
Doves	鴿	each	45	22
Eggs, Hen (cooking)	雞蛋	per doz.	33	18
Eggs, Hen (fresh)	新鮮雞蛋	per doz.	36	25
Fowls, Canton	本地雞	lb.	68	36
Fowls, Hainan	海南雞	lb.	58	35
Geese	鴨	lb.	46	24
Pigeons, Canton	白鴿	each	45	30
" Holchow	白鴿	each	38	28
Turkeys, Cook	火雞	lb.	80	—
Turkeys, Hen	火雞	lb.	85	61
Snipe	沙鵲	each	25	—
Pheasant	山鵲	pair	8.50	—
Quail	鶉	each	45	—
Partridges	鶉	each	45	—

		June 18, June, June,		
		1931.	1918.	1914.
		Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Fruits.				
Almonds	杏仁	lb.	85	35
Apples (California)	金山蘋果	lb.	38	26
Bananas (bride's)	蕉	lb.	12	4
Carambols	糖桃	lb.	—	12
Coconuts	椰子	each	14	10
Lemons, China	檸檬	lb.	24	25
Lemons (American)	金山檸檬	each	13	8
Lichees, Dried	荔枝干	lb.	90	25
Oranges (Canton)	新會甜橙	lb.	—	15
Pears (Canton)	沙梨	lb.	50	—
Peanuts	花生	lb.	14	10
Persimmons, Large	紅柿	lb.	—	12
Plantain	大蕉	lb.	5	8
Pome'o, Siam	暹羅柚	each	32	12
Walnuts	胡桃	lb.	40	—
Grapes	菩提	lb.	90	—

Vegetables, &c.				
Artichokes	菜花	each	12	—
Beans, Sprout	豆苗	lb.	7	—
" Long	豆苗	"	12	—
Beet Root	紅頭菜	"	10	—
Bitter Squash	苦瓜	"	8	24
Brijals, Green	青瓜	"	6	5
" Red	紅瓜	"	6	5
Cabbage, Chinese	芥蘭	"	10	—
(Shanghai)	上海菜	"	18	12
Cane Shoots, bunch	蔗	"	8	—
Cauliflower (Large)	大椰菜	each	—	—
" (Medium)	中椰菜	"	—	—
" (Small)	細椰菜	"	—	—
Carrots	金菜	lb.	7	5
Celery, Chinese	美菜	"	16	10
Chillies, Dried	辣椒干	"	16	25
" Red	紅辣椒	"	12	10
" Green	青辣椒	"	8	12
Curry Stuff, English	咖喱材料	"	10	8
Cucumbers	瓜	"	6	2
Garlic	蒜	"	10	6
Ginger, Young	子薑	"	10	7
" Old	老薑	"	8	20
Horseradish, Shanghai	米菜	"	35	8
Indian Corn	粟米	"	8	45
Lettuce	生菜	"	6	1
Water Chestnuts	荸薺	"	9	—
" Mandarin	桂林馬蹄	"	12	—
Mushrooms, Fresh	鮮蘑菇	"	45	—
Okroes	洋蔥	"	1	10
Onions, Bombay	洋蔥	"	10	8
" Green	生蔥	"	6	4
" Shanghai	上海蔥	"	8	6
Parley	芥菜	"	10	60
Potato, Sweet	番薯	"	5	3
" Japanese	日本薯仔	"	4	3
" American	金山薯仔	"	—	3
Pumpkin	冬瓜	"	5	4
Radish	紅頭菜	"	7	—
Rhubarb (Fresh)	大芥	"	18	—
Shallots	蒜頭	"	8	—
Spinach	菠菜	"	6	8
Tomatoes	番茄	"	14	4
Taro	芋頭	"	5	7
Turnips, Funt (Long)	蓮藕	"	6	8
Vegetable Marrow	西洋菜	"	6	4
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MEDICAL EVIDENCE CHALLENGED

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embarrassed either the prosecution or the defence. In this case it has been very embarrassing for the defence.

Counsel, after going through the evidence, contended that confusion was rife throughout. If one portion of evidence could not be taken it was obvious that the others could not. His assertion was that the evidence was not worthy of credence. The jury could not convict upon it. They must apply to it the same tests as they would do were the prisoner in the dock a friend, and held in personal regard.

An Impossible Story.
"It is all very well to say that in the main these women agree," said Mr. Jenkin. But if certain parts of their stories are impossible, what is the good of saying they must be believed? I say that the evidence given by the third woman witness as regards the application of the ligature round the neck, by the prisoner, is sufficient to warrant your disagreeing with her evidence in its entirety, or at least that it raises such a doubt that you cannot return a verdict of 'guilty.' You must hesitate a great deal before accepting any of this evidence."

Boy's Tale Worthless.
Regarding the little boy's evidence, counsel was of the opinion that it was practically worthless. "It was most unpleasant and a painful duty to cross-examine him," he said, "considering his age, stature and intelligence. It would have been a mercy if the Crown could have avoided calling him at all, but perhaps they did right, in that if they had not done so, they would have laid themselves open to criticism."

Dr. Uttley's Evidence.
Mr. Jenkin then dealt with the evidence of Dr. Uttley. He submitted that if what should have been done at the post-mortem was not done the jury would have to reject the evidence. Dr. Uttley's opinion did not warrant a moment's respect, and Counsel submitted, the jury in that Court had to have before them the best and fullest data.

Counsel said that Dr. Uttley was the one and only medical witness for the Crown and it was his duty to give his facts and findings in the best, fullest way, and was the jury not entitled to have it?

Medical science, contended Counsel, was a complicated affair, and it did not require a great deal of imagination for anybody to conclude that the man's death had come about through some injury, if not, then by natural causes. Dealing with the ligature, Mr. Jenkin submitted that the jury had to be satisfied by the fullest satisfactory proof that the ligature put round the man's neck caused strangulation.

Counsel went on to deal with the duties of a doctor in performing a post mortem examination, particularly in a case where he knew that the lives of a man or men were involved. "It was obviously the doctor's duty to make a most scrupulous examination of the body, externally and internally. 'If he does not do that,' said Counsel, 'then the mouth of any other medical man is shut.'"

Points on Strangulation.
Strangulation was divided up into three sections: the external or internal marks of injury caused by a ligature, the organs of the body, and the question of whether or not there were any remarkable lesions about the facial features. Regarding the ligature mark, Mr. Jenkin

said that the doctor had made it most positive that in his opinion the external appearances of the ligature mark was such that the ligature could only be applied before death.

Dr. Uttley, submitted Counsel, had agreed that the tissues in the neck were alive after death, and the blood could be pressed down. The unfortunate part of that was that the medical man had not made a single note on it, nothing that could possibly help anybody. The most dangerous thing that

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To-day's weather report from the Royal Observatory states:—

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Rainfall for 24 hours ended at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.02 inch. Total since January 1—38.58 inches against an average of 38.47 inches—deficit 1.89 inch.

Temperature.

The temperature at certain specified centres this morning at 6 o'clock was:—

Hong Kong	83
Macao	81
Pratas Island	88
Manila	77
Foochow	81
Chefoo	70
Shanghai	79

any medical witness could do was to rely on his recollections.

Dealing with the organs of the body, Mr. Jenkin said that Dr. Uttley had deposed that the brain, lungs and heart were congested, and these were the general symptoms of strangulation. Counsel then produced photographic copies of Dr. Uttley's internal examination of the body. He handed one to each member of the jury.

"Look at the notes, gentlemen," requested Counsel. "It is no pleasure of mine to criticize a professional friend of mine. But see what is written against the heart—a tick—which means that it was normal. The brain he has left blank."

Dr. Uttley in the box, had not recalled the examination until he saw a Police report in which he (witness) stated that all the organs were congested. And yet, said Counsel, he had stated that there were only three organs that were congested.

Facial Matters.

Mr. Jenkin went on to deal with facial matters. After giving in detail what should appear in the face of a person who has been strangled, i.e., bulging of the eyes, etc. Counsel said that Dr. Uttley had made no note on the appearance of the face. Those notes would have been of the most vital importance in regard to the strangulation.

"It may be through pressure of other work," Counsel contended, "that the post mortem was conducted in so hasty a manner." Dr. Uttley had admitted that his notes were of no use to anybody, and Counsel submitted, that the notes would be of no use at all in refreshing Dr. Uttley's memory. On the contrary it would cause confusion of the mind and, said Counsel firmly,

CRIME FOLLOWS SLUMP.

Offences Increase by 4,112 in a Year.

GRIM READING.

Crime is increasing to an uncomfortable extent in Britain. The figures issued officially by the Home Office make grim reading, although they only refer to the year 1929.

There were in that year 134,581 indictable offences known to the police, an increase of 4,112 over the previous year.

One of the most disconcerting features is the steadily growing number of crimes committed by girls between the ages of sixteen and twenty-one and by lads of all ages under twenty-one.

Districts of the country have their particular crimes. Thus the incidence of crimes against property and of sexual offences is higher in the North than in the South, but on the other side crimes of violence and currency and coinage offences are higher in the South.

"Upon the whole" states the report "there can be little doubt that the all-round increase of crime in the North was due to industrial depression."

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Nurses from Hong Kong proved a great attraction, dressed in their topees, white frocks, shoes and stockings.—Reuter.

"In truth, Dr. Uttley did give incorrect evidence."

Wound on the Head.

Dealing with the wound on the head, Counsel said that Dr. Uttley had made no note as to its possible cause beyond the fact that there was a wound. It was Dr. Uttley's opinion that death could not have come about by concussion. But what was that opinion worth?

"It put it to you" declared Counsel, "that whether that view accords with the correct medical position or not, coming from the mouth of this doctor in this case, it is not one in which you have the certitude which is essential."

"I put it to you that from Dr. Uttley's notes this man might have died from anything, and the ligature had been applied after death," said Mr. Jenkin. The opinion in the man's stomach, coupled with the shock of the blow on the head might have caused his death.

In closing, Mr. Jenkin said: "In the approach to the case, lay and medical, there can be no question at all that death was not brought about by strangulation. It may have been, but that is not good enough."

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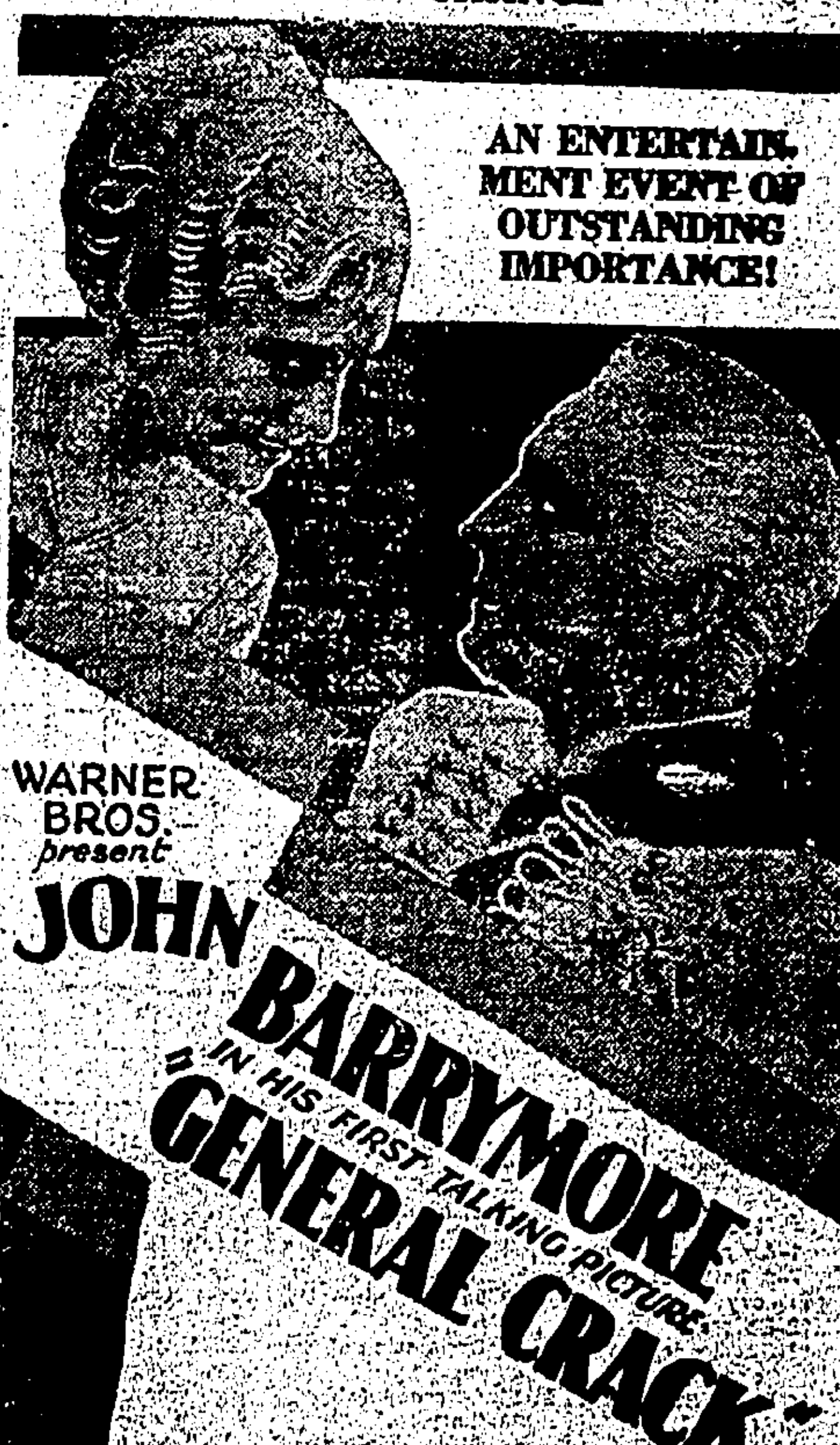


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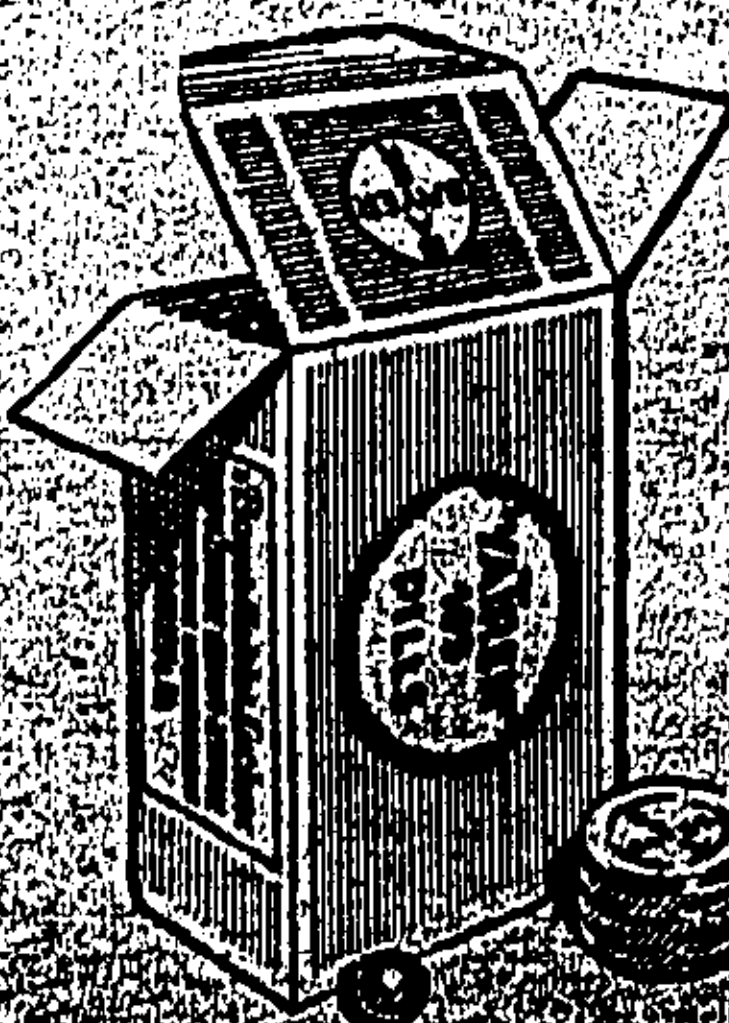


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